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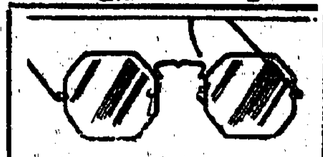
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"Then you don't want us, boss. You want a lawyer."

"No, I don't. My wife's waiting for me outside."

* * *

She (gushingly)—"Will you love me when I am old?"

He—"Love you? I shall idolize you. I shall worship the ground under your little feet, I shall—um—er—You are not going to look like your mother, are you?"

* * *

A stranger came into a small-town grocery store and asked for all the old eggs on hand. As he put the last one into the bag, the grocer said facetiously, "It looks as though you were going to see 'Hamlet' played to-night."

"No, sir," came the answer grimly. "I am going to play Hamlet to-night."

* * *

Jones—"I see by the papers that Scotty McNutt was pinched last night while walking down the street entirely nude."

Smith—"What was the plea?"

Jones—"Safety first."

Smith—"Whadda you mean, 'safety first'?"

Jones—"He told the judge he was on his way to a strip poker game."

* * *

The teacher had written 92.7 on the blackboard, and to show the effect of multiplying by 10, had rubbed out the decimal point.

"Now, Alfred," she asid, "where is the decimal point?"

"On the duster, miss," promptly replied Alfred.

* * *

"Some people thirst after fame, others after wealth, others after love," said the romantic young man, with a sigh.

The object of his affections was not in the same mood, however.

"And there is something all people thirst after," she said.

"Yes?" asked the lover, eagerly.

"Salt fish!" was the crushing reply.

* * *

A meek-looking little boy went up to an elderly man near a post office, and said, "Will this get to Yorkshire in the morning?" holding a letter in his hand.

"Yes, if you post it before 6 p.m.," the old gentleman replied.

The boy then said, still more meekly, "That's a pity, because it is addressed to Brighton."

Then he darted off, in the direction of a sweet shop.

* * *

Prison Warden: It's just been found out that you didn't commit that crime you've been in for all these years, and so the Governor has pardoned you.

Innocent Man: Um—I'm pardoned, am I?

Prison Warden: Y-e-s, but don't go yet. I'll have to telegraph for further instructions.

Innocent Man: What about?

Prison Warden: Seems to me that considerin' you hadn't any business here, you ought to pay the State for your board.

* * *

The day after a somewhat stormy by-election meeting, the prospective candidate, looking rather battered, was discussing the position with his agent.

"I think you're getting at them," the agent said, hopefully. "They seemed more inclined to listen to you last night. You are becoming more popular."

"Popular!" snapped the candidate. "Why, they simply pelted me with rotton eggs."

"Yes, I know: but remember that they used to throw bricks."

ROYAL NAVY

Captain C. A. G. Hutchison

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

Commander C. A. G. Hutchison, who has retired at his own request, with the rank of captain, has been nearly 33 years in the Navy, during which he has commanded a number of ships. He was succeeded in February last as Admiralty Liaison Officer for R.N.R. and Merchant Navy duties in the Port of London.

Captain Hutchison first went to sea in January, 1905, as midshipman of H.M.S. Victorious, second flagship in the Channel Fleet. Throughout the War he was in command of torpedo craft, serving in torpedo boat No. 21 and the destroyers Vigilant, Ettrick, Mastiff, and Hope. Subsequently he qualified in staff duties, and after his promotion to commander in June, 1924, was in the Plans Division, Admiralty; Chief Staff Officer to Rear-Admiral Tweedie in the Yangtze; and staff officer for operations and intelligence with Admiral Tyrwhitt at the Nore. His last duty afloat was in command of the cruiser Vindictive in reserve. A keen motor-cyclist, he was the winner in 1927 of the Arbuthnot Auto-Cycle Trophy.

CHINA STATION CRUISES

H.M.S. Folkestone, Capt. W. R. Patterson, which has been making a cruise in Japanese waters, and has already visited Nagasaki and Miyajima, is now at Yokohama, where she is expected to remain until September 29. She will probably visit Foochow before returning to Hong Kong on October 10. The Kent, Capt. I. B. B. Tower, D.S.C., flagship of Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, which has been at Wei-hai-wei since August 9, is expected to leave there on October 10 for a visit to Chinwangtao. The Cornwall, in which Captain H. C. Phillips is relieving Captain R. B. Davies, V.C., D.S.O., A.F.C., in command, is to leave Wei-hai-wei on October 1 for Chinwangtao, to remain there until the arrival of the flagship.

APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty yesterday:

Lts.—P. C. Meyrick, to Ganges (Sept. 29); and K. H. Fraser, to Grenville (Oct. 1).

Payr. Lt.—W. H. C. Hodges, to Nelson (Sept. 17).

Payr. Mid.—P. W. T. Hanmer, to Nelson (Sept. 17).

Cd. Bosn.—O. G. Foxworthy, to Cardiff (Sept. 18).

Gunners.—C. H. George, to Osprey (Sept. 20); W. B. Burns (T.), to Sardonyx (Sept. 21); and J. F. Hebron (T), to Drake for Basset (Sept. 23).

Promotion

Surgn. Lt.—S. Jenkinson, to rank of Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. (seny. Sept. 18).

Retirements

Lt.-Cdr.—A. L. Pears, placed on the Retd. List, at own request, with rank of Cdr. (Sept. 21).

Lt.—A. L. Lawford, placed on the Retd. List, at own request (Sept. 21).

Sea Cadet Corps

Messrs. J. W. A. McDuff and A. T. Slocombe apptd. Sea Cadet Lt. and Sea Cadet Sub-Lt. respectively (seny. Sept. 10).

Happy Valley), 3.15 p.m.; Club v. South China (Club), 3.15 p.m.; Club de Recreio v. East Lancs (King's Park), 3.15 p.m.; University v. R.E. (Military, Happy Valley), 4.45 p.m.; R.A.S.C. and R.A.O.C. v. Kowloon (Kowloon) 3.15 p.m. Third Division, Lincolns v. R.E. (Catham Road), 4.45 p.m.; European Police v. St. Joseph's (Chatham Road), 3.15 p.m.; Railway v. Chinese Police (Railway), 4.45 p.m.; R.A.F. v. East Lancs. (Railway), 3.15 p.m; Fusiliers v. R.A.M.C. (Military, Happy Valley), 3.15 p.m.

Polo. — Polo Club Gymkhana (Boundary Street), 2.30 p.m.

Rugby.—Navy v. Club (Causeway Bay).

Moon.—IX Moon, 29th Day.

Tides.—High at 6.25 and 19.52; Low at 0.30 and 12.48.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24.

Anniversaries and Holidays. — Frost's Descent. (Shuang-chiang). Feast of St. Raphael the Archangel.

Auctions. — Leasehold Property, Lammert's Sales Room, 3 p.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"Thunder In The Night."
Queen's:—"Mr. Dynamite."
Central:—"Operator No. 13."
Oriental:—"The Great Hotel Murder."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"Welcome Home."
Majestic:—"Under The Pampus Moon."
Star:—"Grand Hotel."

Meetings.—Theosophical Society, 6 p.m., Annual, Hong Kong Teachers' Association, King's College, 5.15 p.m. Toc H. Supper Meeting at Peninsula Hotel, 7.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous. — Claims against the Estate of Ethel Annie Thurburn, due; Drawing for Redemption of Debentures, H.K. Cricket Club Pavilion, 5.30 p.m.; Central British School Prize-Distribution, St. Andrew's Hall, 11.45 a.m.

Rehearsals.—Chorus, "A Country Girl," Cathedral Hall, 8.45 p.m.

Social.—Civil Service Cricket Club Whist Drive 8.45 p.m.

Sports

Badminton.—St. Andrew's Club Badminton Tournament, 9 p.m.

Football. — Army v. Malayan Chinese (Sookunpoo), 4.30 p.m.

Polo. — Polo Club Gymkhana Eliminating Rounds (Boundary Street), 3.30 p.m.

Racing.—Entries close for the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, Noon.

Moon.—IX Moon, 27th. Day.

Tides.—High at 7.20 and 20.06; Low a 1.17 and 13.20.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25.

Anniversaries and Holidays. — Feast of St. Chrysanthus and Daria, Mm. Fifty-Fourth Anniversary of the Establishment of the Apostleship of Prayer in Hong Kong (1881).

Auctions.—Household furniture, "Marble Hall" private hotel, Observatory Road, Kowloon, 10 a.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"Thunder In The Night."
Queen's:—"Casino de Paris."
Central:—"Abdul The Damned."
Oriental:—"G-Men."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"Welcome Home."
Majestic:—"Under The Pampus Moon."

Lectures.—Christian Fellowship, Helena May, 10.30 a.m.

Meetings.—St. Andrew's Girls' Guild, 6 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—L. C. A. Jumble Sale, Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, 2 p.m.; Claims against the Estate of Arthur Worthington Bramwell, due.

Rehearsals.—Hong Kong Singers, Brahms' "Requiem" Union Church, Kennedy Road, 5.30 p.m.

Social.—R.E.W.A.'s and S/N. C. O.'s Mess Whist Drive and Tombola, 8.45 p.m.; All Ranks "Open Air Tombola," Wellington Barracks, 7.30 p.m.

Sports

Tennis.—Finals of Army League Championship (Sookunpoo), 4 p.m.

Moon.—IX Moon, 28th. Day.

Tides.—High at 8.08 and 20.19; Low at 1.58 and 13.52.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26.

Cinemas

King's:—"The Scarlet Pimpernel."
Queen's:—"Casino de Paris."
Central:—"Abdul The Damned."
Oriental:—"G-Men."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"Welcome Home."
Majestic:—"Under The Pampus Moon."

Sports

Cricket.—Second Division, Indian R.C. v. R.A.S.C. (L);

Football.—First Division, East Lancs. v. Navy (Sookunpoo); Fusiliers v. R.A. (L) (Caroline Hill); Kowloon v. R.A. (S) (Kowloon); Club v. Police (Club); St. Joseph's v. Lincons (St. Joseph's, Happy Valley), 4.45 p.m. Second Division, Radio v. Fusiliers (Athletic), 4.45 p.m.; Chinese Athletic v. Lincolns (Caroline Hill), 3.15 p.m.; Eastern v. Navy (St. Joseph's,

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COMING-OF-AGE GIFTS

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London, Sept 28.

The village of Barrhill was en fete on Saturday for the celebration of the coming of age of Mr David Wallace, eldest son of Captain Euan Wallace, M.P., Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Home Office, and proprietor of Kildonan estates, which include the greater part of Barrhill.

The tenantry were entertained to lunch by Captain and Mrs. Wallace at Kildonan House, when the health of Mr David Wallace was proposed by the Rev. William Gordon, minister of Barrhill.

Captain and Mrs Wallace entertained the tenants, feuars, employees, and friends to tea, also at Kildonan House, prior to which the presentation was made to Mr. David Wallace of a gold watch and chain and other gifts.

Mr Thomas Carswell, presenting Mr David with a cheque from the tenants, employees, feuars, and merchants, intimated that Captain Wallace had decided to continued the 15 per cent. rebate on rentals of tenants, a generous concession the laird of Kildonan had made for the past three years owing to trade depression.

Votes of thanks to Captain and Mrs Wallace were proposed by Provost W. M'Creath and ex-Provost C. M. Lawson, Girvan.

In the evening an entertainment and dance was given in the Barrhill War Memorial Hall by Captain and Mrs Wallace, to which invitations had been extended to tenantry, feuars, employees, friends and villagers on the estates. Mr David Wallace presided.

ATTEMPT ON RECORD

Brussels To Congo

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

A British aeroplane is likely to be used in an attempt by three Belgians to break the record set up by Mr. Ken Waller last Christmas on his flight from Brussels to the Belgian Congo. The Belgians expect to make their attempt soon.

The airmen, whose names are given in "Le Soir" as M. Mahieu, Count de Looz de Coswaren, and Commandant d'Hoore, will probably use a British De Havilland Dragon fitted with two Gipsy VI 200-h.p. engines. This is a comparatively light, fast aeroplane.

The route under consideration is Brussels, Tunis, Sebha, Fort Lamy, Stanleyville, the "hop" over the Sahara being made by night. Each of the three occupants would pilot the machine in turn. The return would be made by the Nile and Cairo to Athens.

In December Mr. Ken Waller flew from Brussels to Leopoldville (Belgian Congo) and back in 108 hours 19 minutes in his De Havilland Comet Reine Astrid, the time on the outward flight being 51 hours.

EVEREST ATTACK

Survey Work Completed

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

The advance expedition to Mount Everest, which has been away since the end of May preparing for the main expedition next spring, is now on its way back to England, having accomplished what it set out to do. Its objects were twofold: to make a preliminary survey of the route and to test the abilities of some new recruits. A point of 23,000 feet was reached above the North Col, and the party stayed at this height for several days, so evidence on the all-important question of acclimatisation will have been obtained.

Experience has shown that climbers can be divided into those who acclimatise swiftly and those who do not. That the leader of an Everest expedition should know with certainty into which group each man falls is now known to be essential if falls is now known to be essential if time and effort during the short climbing season are to be saved. Slow "acclimatisers" should in theory be used in the first place to establish the high-altitude camps, while the quick "acclimatisers" conserve their strength at the base. The camps established, the quick "acclimatisers" would make their attempt on the summit and this, if it failed, would be followed by the attempt of the slow "acclimatisers."

BAD WEATHER

Effort must be spared, since it is not believed that a man can attempt the summit twice in one season. The advance expedition has met with bad weather and is said to have come to the conclusion that the main expedition in the spring should start much earlier than usual. Whether this is practicable or not from transport and other difficulties is not known, but everyone will hope for success in next year's grand attack on "one of the last great adventures which the surface of the earth has to offer."

GAELS CROWD THE CAPITAL

Kilts In Profusion In Edinburgh

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept 28.

This week the swing of the kilt and the soft accents of Gaelic will be in evidence on every hand in Edinburgh. To-day the National Mod of An Comunn Gaidhealach opens in the Capital, and Princes Street will be nearer the average Englishman's conception of a kilted Scotland than it has been probably since the Mod was last in Edinburgh 16 years ago.

If local effort can ensure success the Edinburgh Mod deserves it, for weeks of solid work, including the raising of £1000 by a Highland Feill, have been put in by enthusiastic Gaels.

The climax of the week will be reached in the Usher Hall on Friday, when the Duchess of York will attend the final concert and present the principal prizes. On the same evening the Bard of the Mod will be crowned.

For that concert tickets were sold out some time ago, and an overflow concert is to be given in the Central Hall, which it is hoped the Duchess will also visit.

CIVIC WELCOME

There will be a civic welcome tomorrow at noon and a civic reception in the evening.

The principal shields and trophies were on view yesterday in a west end shop and attracted much interest.

Entries are down about 50 from Oban last year, but the Oban entry was a record in the history of An Comunn. There are 932 junior and 640 senior entries, and there are 21 aspirants for the Bardic crown.

The Mod will be followed by a Gaelic service in St. Giles' Cathedral on Sunday.

Progress

A camera that takes in 400 miles in one shot has been invented. Till now the newspapers have been able to photograph only a few acres of bathing-girls at a time.

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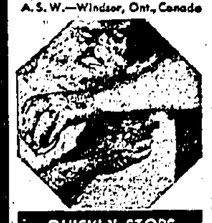

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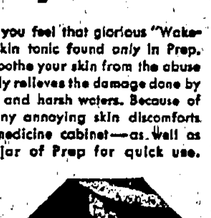

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HAM AND VEGETABLES

BOILED HAM WITH SPINACH

Pare off the under part and saw off shank of ham. Tie the ham in a clean cloth and cook in boiling water, allowing 20 minutes to the pound. When cooked, remove cloth and skin. Lay in a stew pan or a deep baking dish and pour over it a cup of cider and place in the oven to brown. Baste frequently with cider and when the ham has absorbed the liquid, serve on hot platter with spinach.

BOILED HAM WITH VEGETABLES

1 shank end ham
5 small potatoes
1 small head of cabbage, cut in fifths
5 small onions
3 small turnips, cut in quarters
3 medium-sized carrots, cut in quarters, lengthwise

Plunge the ham in a pan of hot water and simmer one hour before adding the vegetables. At the end of the first hour's cooking, add the turnips and when these have cooked 15 minutes add the potatoes and cabbage; cook 30 minutes longer, remove vegetables carefully so as not to break in pieces and serve on a platter. Arrange with the ham in the center of the platter and surround with vegetables.

BOILED HAM AND EGG WITH EGGPLANT

6 eggs
6 servings ham
1 round eggplant

Remove the skin and cut the eggplant into slices, one-half inch thick. Sprinkle with salt and pile on a plate. Cover with a weight and let stand two hours; this is to press out the juice. Drain, dredge with flour and sauté slowly, first on one side and then on the other, to a golden brown. Lay a slice of boiled ham on each slice of eggplant and top with a poached egg. Serve with Hollandaise sauce.

HAM LOAF

4 cups chopped cooked ham
1½ cups soft bread
½ cup chopped celery
½ cup chopped green peppers
½cup chopped onions
2 tablespoons parsley, chopped
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon paprika
3 eggs, beaten
1½ cups milk
3 tablespoons butter, melted

Mix ingredients and pour into 1 large or 2 medium-sized buttered loaf pans. Bake 45 minutes in moderate oven. Cool and unmold. Serve cut in slices.

Frozen Salads

PEAR

Drain one can of pears and cut in small pieces. Chop one half orange and add with two tablespoons of orange juice, sweetened. To this add one-fourth cup of white grapes which have been skinned, seeded and cut in quarters. Beat one-half cup of cream add one-half cup mayonnaise and a few grains of salt. Fold this into the fruit and pour into fancy or loaf shaped ice cream mold. Cover with waxed paper and a tight cover and pack in ice and salt until frozen. Remove, slice, and serve on lettuce leaves. This should serve eight and is very relicious.

APRICOT

Soak one teaspoon gelatin in two tablespoons cold water, then melt over hot water. Add four tablespoons honey and heat until thin. Beat one cup of cream and fold in the gelatin and honey, one-third cup of mayonnaise, one-eight cup chopped figs, one-fourth cup chopped dates, one-fourth cup chopped pecans and a little seasoning of preferred spice if desired. Drain three cups of cooked apricots, cut fine and add. Pour the mixture into a melon mold, cover with waxed paper, then the mold cover and pack in ice and salt in the proportion of four of ice to one of salt, until frozen. Or the mixture may be turned into refrigrator trays and let freeze. If frozen in a mold, after freezing turn out, cut into slices and serve with some good cream mayonnaise. Either fresh or canned apricots may be used. This will serve six.

PINEAPPLE

Combine two cups fresh pineapple, one and one-half cups apple sauce, four tablespoons corn syrup and one-third cup blanched almonds. Soften one teaspoon gelatin in one tablespoon cold water, dissolve in two tablespoons boiling water and add. Beat one-half cup of cream, add one-half cup mayonnaise and a few grains of salt and fold into the fruit. Pour into individual round or star shaped ice cream molds and cover with waxed paper and tin covers. Pack in ice and salt frozen. This may be served in the ordinary way upon lettuce leaves or if a more attractive way is desired, surround each mold resting in a nest of lettuce, by small wedges of very ripe watermelon, arranged to resemble a star. French or any desired dressing might be be used. This should serve six

Sweet Peppers

The delicious and decorative fresh sweet peppers (or capsicums, or pimentos, or paprikas—whichever they happen to be called) are in the shop windows again, and no time should be lost in buying some.

In any case, it is always necessary to skin them before they are used. This is done by either grilling or scalding them, when the skin, as in the case of tomatoes, will come off quite easily. They should then be emptied of their seeds and then cut up or left whole according to the recipe to be followed

STUFFED SWEET PEPPERS

Having skinned them and emptied them, stuff them with any kind of mixture you wish, not too dry and made more substantial with a little rice. A chicken, onion, mushroom, and tomato stuffing is a good one.) Then braise them with good stock, or with tomato purée, if you prefer it. They are excellent.

FOR SALADS

After being peeled, they should be cut up in strips or pieces. They make quite a good salad by themselves, but they are better used when mixed with other ingredients. For instance, equal parts of sweet pepper and cucumber, seasoned with olive oil, vinegar, salt, and pepper and garnished with chopped chervil or, at a pinch, parsley. Another is mix tomato flesh and thin strips of sweet peppers with cold boiled rice, and season with oil, vinegar, a trifle of garlic, chopped onion, and parsley.

VEAL OR CHICKEN PAPRIKAS

Fry a quarter of a pound of finely chopped onions in an ounce of lard until they are golden brown, then stir in a teaspoonful of paprika pepper and just a touch of garlic, very little indeed

Add a pound of veal cut in cubes, and stew them together over a flame until all moisture has evaporated. Then add a peeled and sliced green sweet pepper and a tomato, but see that skin and pips are removed.

Go on cooking, with the lid on, until the meat is ender, then mix a little flour with a gill of sour cream, add this to the stew and bring to the boil again. If you prefer, use fresh cream instead of sour.

NEW VEGETABLE DISHES

STUFFED ONIONS

Four large mild onions, 1 cup finely chopped meat, 2 tablespoons minced mushrooms (optional), 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1 egg, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon butter, ¾ cup coarse stable bread crumbs.

Spanish onions are preferred but any large onion can be used. Peel and cook in boiling water until tender, letting the water cook away. It will take about an hour. Drain and take out the center of onions without disturbing the outside layers. Mix meat, mushrooms, salt and pepper. Add egg without beating and mix very thoroughly. Fill onions with mixture. Melt butter and add bread crumbs. Mix well and cover the fillings in the onions. Bake in a moderate oven for twenty minutes or until the crumbs are brown

Save the centers of the onions to use in a cream sauce the following day.

MASHED PARSNIP RING

Eight or ten parsnips of fair size, 4 tablespoons bacon drippings, ½ teaspoon paprika, ¼ teaspoon white pepper, 1 egg, 2 teaspoon white pepper, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons vinegar, ½ cup cracker crumbs, 1 cup flaked fish, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 cups milk, parsley.

Scrub and scarpe parsnisp. Cut in halves and cook in boiling salted water until tender. It will take about thirty minutes, depending on freshness and size. Put through a ricer and add bacon drippings, paprika, pepper and cracker crumbs. Beat egg with vinegar and add to parsnip mixture. Cook over the fire, stirring constantly until egg is set. Arrange on a hot platter in the form of a mound and with a spoon press a hollow in the center, widening it into a ring. Fill with fish in cream sauce and garnish with parsley.

To make the sauce, melt butter, stir in flour and when bubbling slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Bring to the boiling point. Season with salt and pepper, and add fish.

Protein calories, 296; fat calories, 1140; carbohydrate calories, 592. Total calories, 2028.

CHEESE AND POTATO SOUFFLE

Two cups mashed potatoes, 1 cup grated cheese, 4 eggs, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1 tablespoon tomato catsup, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, ½ cup rich milk.

Beat yolks of eggs until thick and lemon coloured and add with cheese and seasonings to mashed potato. Beat in enough milk to make the consistency of drop batter. Less than ½ cup may be enough. Fold in the whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Turn into a well buttered baking dish and place in a pan of hot water. Bake thirty to forty minutes in a moderate oven (375 degrees F.) When well puffed and firm to the touch, remove from oven and serve at once. Freshly mashed, hot potatoes can be used or left-over potatoes can be put through a ricer and reheated.

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The sole is poached and garnished with stewed cucumber cut in olive shapes. It is covered with a cheese sauce flavoured with paprika.

Grilled tournedos are garnished with artichoke bottoms filled with Bearnaise sauce, straw potatoes, and watercress.

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The coupe is a base of pineapple dice soaked in maraschino, which is masked with lemon, ice. After this, coffee should taste especially good.

VEGETABLES IN MARKET SUGGEST THESE DISHES

It's easy to plan meals these days if you use originality and imagination. Vegetables and fruits are abundant and they all tempt us by their own perfection. Vegetable cookery should continue to be stressed throughout November. Frequently a well-planned vegetable combination, containing a small amount of meat or fish, will serve acceptably as a main dish for luncheon or supper.

Veal cutlets with stuffed sweet peppers is a splendid dish for a September dinner. Serve it with a tomato and cucumber salad and a fresh dessert.

CUTLETS WITH STUFFED PEPPERS

Four veal cutlets, 1 egg, cracker crumbs, 2 large sweet green peppers, ½ cup diced green beans (cooked), 4 tablespoons tiny cooked onions, ½ cup diced new carrots (cooked), ½ cup diced cooked beets, 4 tablespoons Hollandaise sauce or melted butter.

Steak can be used and cut in neat pieces, each one large enough for a serving, or "cutlets" can be used. Trim meat and roll in crumbs. Dip in egg slightly beaten with 1 tablespoon cold water and roll again in crumbs. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and saute a rich brown on both sides. Reduce heat and cook slowly for 30 mins. Place on a hot platter and on each cutlet put half a pepper filled with the combination of vegetables. Pour the sauce or melted butter over each stuffed pepper, and serve at once. After cutting peppers in halves and removing seeds, simmer for eight minutes in boiling salted water. Drain and fill with any combination of vegetables at hand

This is an excellent way to use left-over vegetables.

EGGPLANT ITALIENNE

Two small eggplants, 2 hard cooked eggs, ½ cup diced cheese, 1 cup tomato sauce.

Pare eggplants and cut in slices. Sprinkle each slice with salt and pile on a plate, one above the other. Cover with a weighted plate and let stand two hours. Saute in butter and line a shallow baking dish with half the slices. Cover with eggs cut in slices; over the eggs sprinkle the cheese and pour over tomato sauce. Cover with remaining eggplant and bake fifteen minutes in a moderate oven.

To make tomato sauce, cook 1½ cups diced tomatoes with onion, celery leaves, parsley, carrot and three or four cloves. Season with salt and pepper, and when very soft rub through a strainer. Bind with two tablespoons butter blended with 1½ tablespoons flour.

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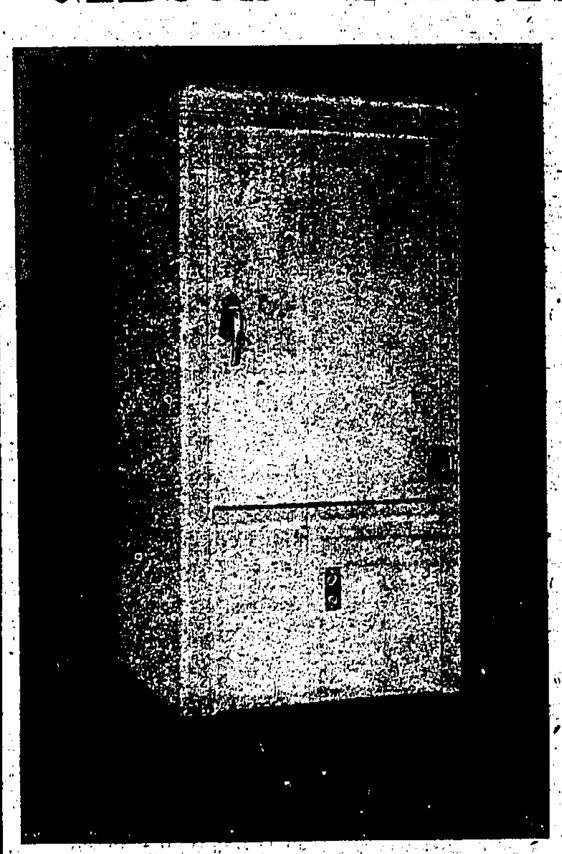

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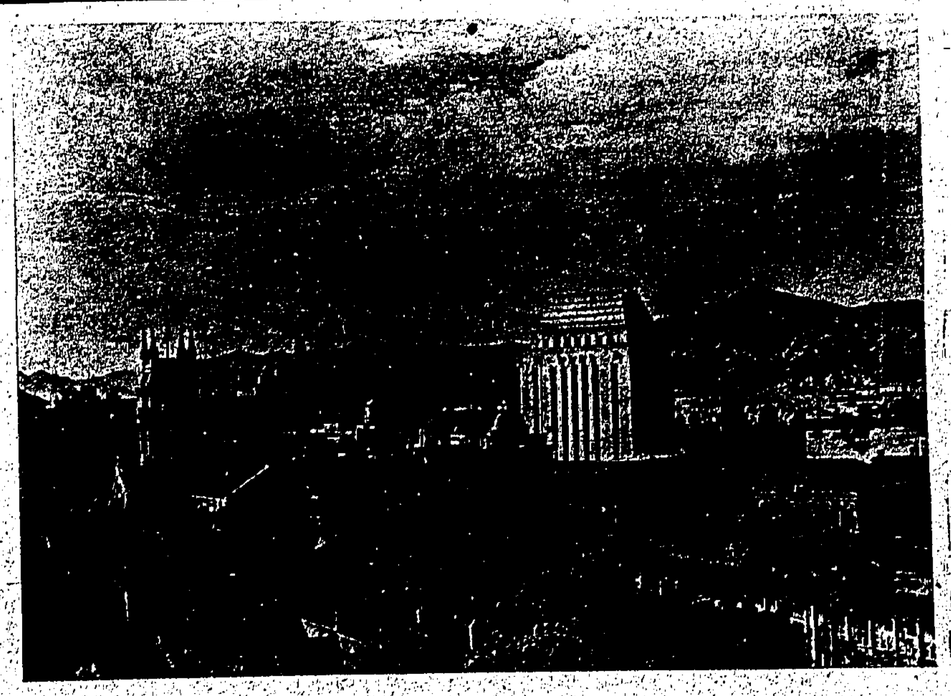

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New York/London Cross-rate	4.91½	4.91½	4.91⅝	4.91⅝	¼ up Steady
New York Cotton—Oct.	10.88	10.70	10.77	10.88	.11 up
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Silver—Official	—	—	65⅝	65⅝	unchanged

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30 Industrials	139.50	84.58	138.96	138.77	.19 off
20 Rails	52.96	27.11	33.82	34.20	.68 up
20 Utilities	31.03	14.39	26.25	27.06	.81 up
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Phil. Petro (1)	31⅛	31½
Pub. Ser N.J. (2.80)	40⅞	42
Radio Corpn.	8⅛	8⅜
Rey. Tob "B" (3)	56⅞	56⅜
Schenley	51⅛	50⅛
Sears Roebuck	58⅞	59⅛
Soc.-Vac. (.60)	11⅜	11½
Srn. Cal. Ed. (1.50)	22⅞	23⅞
Southern Pacific	18⅜	18⅛
Stan. Brands (1)	14⅛	14⅛
Stan. Gas	3⅛	4⅜
Sta Oil NJ (1)	46⅛	47
Ster. Pro. (2.80)	64	64
Studebaker Corpn	20½	20⅛
Texas G. Sulp (2)	31⅛	31⅜
Transamerica (1.12½)	8⅜	8⅞
Un. Car. and Carb (1.40)	72⅛	71⅛
Un. Pac. Rlys. (6)	93½	95⅞
Un. Aircraft Corp.	21⅛	20⅛
Un. Air Line Trans.	9⅞	9⅜
United Corpn.	4⅞	5⅜
Uni. Gas Impr. (1.20)	16⅛	17⅞
Univ. Leaf Tob. (2)	64	63⅞
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	48	47⅛
U.S. Rubber	14⅛	13⅜
U.S. Steel	46⅜	46⅜
Vanddium	18⅛	18⅛
Warner Bros. Picts.	8	7⅞
West E. & M. (.65)	87	86
Call Money	½%	½%

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JAPANESE TEXTILES IN EGYPT

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept. 30.

While the British textile industry continues to consider what steps can be taken to deal with Japanese competition, Egypt has taken drastic action.

On top of the existing 30 per cent. import duty, she has decided to impose an exchange compensating tax of 40 per cent. ad valorem on all Japanese cotton goods.

Japanese imports into Egypt have recently been exceptionally heavy. The existing trade agreement is due to expire on October 16 and importers have been trying to anticipate the expected higher duties.

Such importers now find themselves badly caught out by the Government's prompt action in imposing higher rates forthwith which will catch shipments at present on the way.

Another cause of the recent increase in imports seems to have been the possibility of war interfering with shipping in the near future.

Whether the increased duties are intended to be permanent or whether they are merely intended for use as a bargaining weapon in any negotiations with Japan which may follow the expiration of the treaty is not yet clear.

But if they do turn out to be permanent, Lancashire may be able to get back some share of a market from which Japan has been rapidly driving her.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Passages For Families

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

A new paragraph (3117B) has been inserted into the King's Regulations and Air Council Instructions regarding passages for the families of officers who marry during a tour of duty abroad.

Subject to the exigencies of the service and the medical fitness of the family, a qualified married officer (that is, one over 30 years of age or holding a substantive rank above flight lieutenant) who has married while on leave from abroad, or while at home on temporary duty or attending a course of instruction, may be granted passage by public vessel for his family from the United Kingdom to his station abroad. The grant is provisional on his not being due to return to the United Kingdom, or to move to a station to which passages for families are not allowed, within a year of the date on which passage will be available for the family.

TORPEDO BOMBER SQUADRONS

No. 42 (Bomber) Squadron, which is about to be formed at Donibristle, Fife, will be equipped with the Vickers Vildebeest torpedo bomber, with Bristol Pegasus engine. This will make a total of four squadrons with this type of aircraft, the others being No. 22, also at Donibristle, and Nos. 36 and 100, at Singapore. The type has a maximum speed of 141 miles an hour. An adaptation of it for general purposes, known as the Vincent, has been supplied to No 84 (Bomber) Squadron in Iraq and No. 8 (Bomber) Squadron at Aden.

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MONDAY, OCT. 28, 1935

COMMENCING AT 11 A.M.

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ON VIEW FROM FRIDAY, THE 25TH OCTOBER, 193..

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CINEMA TRADE NOTICES

CASINO DE PARIS

The sensation of Al Jolson, famous Mammy singer who first introduced the talking pictures and Ruby Keeler, his wife, former Broadway musical star who leaped to fame in the movies in two years, in First National latest, said to be greatest, musical spectacle, "Casino de Paris" opening at the Queen's Theatre To-morrow.

While the picture is a mammoth musical spectacle, it carries a well defined plot and a fascinating romance with tense emotional scenes, interspersed with hilarious comedy relief. Al Jolson has the role of a Broadway entertainer, who is barred from the New York stage, because he quits his shows without notice, his weakness being wine, women and the "ponies". He winds up in Caliente at the race tracks, waking up with a headache and without a job. Glenda Farrell plays the part of his devoted sister who gets him striaghtened up, and finally convincing him that Broadway is through with him, persuades him to take a job in Chicago with a partner. She has already persuaded Ruby Keeler, who has a role of a clever dancer on the West Coast to team with her brother. After a series of exciting incidents the New York opening comes off in a blaze of glory in an unusual and surprising climax.

CURLY TOP

The happiest picture of Shirley Temple's career "Curly Top" comes to the Alhambra on Saturday.

In "Curly Top" a charming story of a little girl who captures the heart of a lonely bachelor and makes both their dreams come true. Shirley has two new songs to sing and several new and intriguing dance routines for the audience's approval.

In this Fox Film comedy-drama, John Boles is cast as a bachelor who adopts Shirley and her big sister, Rochelle Hudson. His generosity takes them from the drab and dreary atmosphere of an orphanage to the sunny summer surroundings of a palatial home in Southampton.

There the romance of Boles and Miss Hudson flourishes under the childish guidance of little Shirley who sings, dances and laughs her way into their hearts.

Shirley is not the only one to sing in this joyful film. John Boles sings "It is All So New To Me" and "Curly Top" while Rochelle Hudson surprises by singing for the first time, "The Simple Things in Life."

Ray Henderson, America's ace song writer, wrote the melodies for all the song numbers for "Curly Top" which was produced by Winfield Sheehan and directed by Irving Cummings.

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"ALL-RED" AIR ROUTE

Non-Stop Flight To Gibraltar

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

The first non-stop formation flight by a unit of the R.A.F. from England to Gibraltar was successfully completed yesterday. No. 203 (flying-boat) Squadron, which recently flew its Rangoon flying-boats home from Basra, set out at dawn yesterday from the Mount Batten station at Plymouth with its new Short Singapore III. four-engined flying-boats to return to Basra and reached Gibraltar before dusk, having flown the 1,070 miles non-stop.

An attempt made by a similar flying-boat, which left Plymouth for Singapore to replace the boat lost in Sicily some months ago, was not successful. An intermediate call had to be made at Lisbon in that case. Yesterday's flight by three boats was therefore of special significance at the first of its kind and as promising well for the remainder of the journey, which it is hoped to accomplish without calls at ports not in British control. If the experiment should succeed, an important step in the development of the system of reinforcing British units in the East through a chain of British stations will have been taken.

THREE MORE CALLS

The plans for the rest of the journey allow only three other calls. From Gibraltar the boats will go direct to Malta, a distance of 985 miles. The next stage will take them to Aboukir, 920 miles distant; and from there the remaining 1,070 miles to Basra will be covered non-stop. No attempt will be made to complete the journey in fast time. The squadron will, if necessary, wait at its various ports of call for good weather reports. Given favourable conditions the squadron may reach Basra within a week.

The three flying-boats left Mount Batten at 6.35 yesterday morning and arrived at Gibraltar at 6 p.m. (B.S.T.). Each boat has a crew of six and is equipped with bunks and living quarters so that the crew may live on board and prepare meals in the kitchen. The Singapore III. is fitted with four Rolls-Royce Kestrel (560 h.p.) engines set in tandem pairs between the wings and has a cruising speed of about 105 miles an hour. No. 203 Squadron is commanded by Group Captain R. E. Saul, who was also in command on the homeward flight.

"RECKLESS"

Jean Harlow dances! Jean Harlow sings! And William Powell croons—in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's dazzling musical extravaganza, "Reckless" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

For the first time these two most talked-of-stars of the screen appear together in one of the most inspirational, thrilling and tuneful pictures of the year.

In "Reckless", Miss Harlow plays the role of Mona Leslie, an obscure carnival dancer who is lifted to Broadway stardom by Powell, the happy-go-lucky promoter of everything from trained fleas to bearded wrestlers. Franchot Tone, is seen as Bob Harrison, the spoiled millionaire playboy who boosts Mona to great social heights and then plunges her into an abyss of scandal.

"Reckless" contains even more than these three steller players. Its cast includes such dependable artists as May Robson, Ted Healy, Nat Pendleton, Robert Light, Rosalind Russell, Henry Stephenson and Louise Henry.

It teems with elaborate musical numbers. In these tingling musical numbers, presented against lavish backgrounds and surrounded by hordes of beautiful girls, you will hear the catchy song hits sung by such singing stars of "Bitter Sweet". Kinney, the sensational Creole "blues" singer.

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QUEEN'S THEATRE

TO-DAY ONLY at 2.30, 5.10, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.

THE QUEEN'S

"Mr. Dynamite"

"Dynamite," starring Edmund Lowe, opened its season at the Queen's Theatre yesterday and those who saw it were agreed that it was not only one of the most thrilling murder mystery stories of the year but also that it was Lowe at his best and that alone should be sufficient guarantee for excellent entertainment.

Lowe plays the part of "Dynamite" a reckless, black sheep detective who is given a police escort out of every town he enters, but he redeems himself when he is called in by private interests to solve the mysterious murder of a young boy who is shot down as he is leaving the grounds of a gambling resort.

It is no exaggeration to say that the versatile Lowe covers himself with glory while Jean Dixon, as his secretary, is also good.—F.M.A.

SPANISH ULTIMATUM TO PARAMOUNT

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*))

Madrid, Oct 22.

The Spanish Government has decided at the request of the War Minister Gil Robles that they require the American Paramount film company to immediately withdraw various films that are now appearing abroad in which Spanish army policy has been made to appear ridiculous. It is stated that should the Government's demands not be fulfilled within three days, the Government will prohibit all paramount films from being shown on Spanish territory.—

Transocean Auo Mir

ADVICE TO ABYSSINIA

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct 10.

General Sir Ian Hamilton, speaking at the annual dinner of the City Imperial Volunteers in London on Saturday, said:—"I trust the Abyssinians will make their daggers gleam in the moon and will take their lessons from the Afridis and Mohamands rather than from instructors of the parade ground—the present-arms, goose-stepping sort.

"A few British officers who served in the Tirah campaign would teach them how not to do it; not to collect together and give their enemies a target. If there seems any opening for a close order attack, let it be by night. After all, I ought to know what I am talking about. I commanded a brigade at the opening of the Tirah campaign until I broke my leg, and commanded again the Third Brigade, which saw the closing phases of the War—namely, a save-face, patched-up peace. It was in Tirah and not at Aldershot, or on Salisbury Plain, that we learned."

So It Seemed

The barber had used his electric clippers in cutting small Betty's hair.

"I think my neck wasn't clean," she told her mother on coming home "'cause that man used his vacuum cleaner on it."

THE KING'S

Louis-Baer Fight

The much talked of Louis-Baer fight of which we have read columns and columns in the newspapers has at last come to us on the screen and was shown for the first time at the Kings Theatre yesterday.

Although the fight only lasted four rounds, the film is complete with every incident from beginning to end, and is enough to show us what these mighty men have to go through in order to gain that most coveted heavyweight Crown.

That Joe Louis is master of the situation from the very first going is quite apparent, and leaves nothing to be wondered after one has seen the film, and the King's Theatre must be congratulated on having obtained this film of the fight so soon after the event.

The programme at the Kings is a double attraction, and following the fight film is an excellent mystery drama, titled "Thunder In The Night" and featuring Edmund Lowe, Karen Morley and Paul Cavanagh.—C.J.A.

NEWS-SHEETS OF THE PAST

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept 28.

An exhibition illustrating the history of English newspapers from the early news-sheets of the seventeenth century until the present time, was opened by Sir Owen Seaman at the hall of the Institute of Journalists, Tudor Street. The collection is the property of the London Press Club, and it has been placed on exhibition until Friday in connection with the annual conference of the Institute of Journalists.

There is no important phase in the evolution of the modern newspaper which the exhibition does not illustrate. A page from Caxton's press is the earliest exhibit, and there follows an interval of over a century before the direct ancestral line of the newspaper begins with the "Mercurius Gallo-belgicus," a summary in Latin of six month's news in the year 1606.

The propagandist news-sheets of the Civil War, issuing from the rival headquarters in London and Oxford, are strongly represented in the collection, which contains also a contemporary report of the trial and execution of Charles the First. Proclamations by Charles the Second and Queen Anne against the printing of seditious books are there to remind the visitor of the strict surveillance to which the presses were submitted in later Stuart times.

RARE PRODUCTIONS

The section of the exhibition devoted to the productions of the eighteenth century is of the greatest interest to the student of newspaper history, for there are many rare, and some unique, copies of early newspapers on view. Among these is a copy of an issue of "The Times" during 1785, under the newspapers original title, and the only known copy of the first issue of the "Morning Post" in 1772. Examples of many of the provincial newspapers in their earliest form may also be studied.

Sir Owen Seaman said that nothing in the exhibition had impressed him more than its evidence of the powers of endurance of the provincial Press. Large numbers of the provincial newspapers, surviving still, could point to an origin at least 50 years earlier than the oldest London general newspaper, the "Morning Post," born in 1772. In this kaleidoscopic age it was impossible to prize too highly the virtue of continuity.

Sir Emsley Carr proposed a vote of thanks to Sir Owen Seaman for opening the exhibition. Mr. Alan Pitt Robbins, president of the Institute was in the chair.

WAR FILMS FOR CINEMAS

Hired From Museum At 6s. A Foot

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

Official war films are being hired for use in ordinary films and news-reels. The price, says the annual report of the Imperial War Museum, is 6s a foot.

"Before these old silent films can be injected into modern sound productions," the report states, "producers must go to the expense of 'stretching' them — printing every second picture-frame twice to run at the sound film rate of 24 pictures per second instead of at the silent film rate of 16 pictures per second."

The report says a flying officer who was brought down in No-Man's Land during the war has found an air photograph of his wrecked machine in the museum.

The officer was anxious to determine the exact position where he was brought down. The place was traced for him on the map, and a search was then made for an air photograph of the exact date of the incident.

A photograph taken from a great height was found, and the officer saw represented by a small and unmistakable spot the aeroplane in which he crashed.

The year's attendance at the museum was 307,983, compared with 295,865 in the previous year.

THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL

Twenty years ago Baroness Orczy was asked by a famous publishing house to supply a thrilling serial in rather a hurry. Within fifteen minutes of receiving the commission she had formulated mentally the story of "The Scarlet Pimpernel". Originally the setting was to be Russia, but for diplomatic reasons Baroness Orczy altered it to France in the time of the revolution. Since its first publication the story has been a best seller in almost every country of the world.

Because so many popular books have been unsuccessful as films, I seized the opportunity of discussing the subject with Baroness Orczy when the filming by Alexander Korda of her famous book was almost completed.

"It seems certain to me already", she said, "that the picture will be an excellent interpretation of my story. The amazing thing is the way that the actors and actresses have given the precise characterisation that I visualised when I wrote the story. It has been almost uncanny to watch.

When Mr. Korda first plabbed to produce "The Scarlet Pimpernel" he invited my advice. I was glad to help in any way I could; and now I am proud of my small part in the making of a film which I confidently think will be a big success".

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"Thunder In The Night"
"Joe Louis vs. Max Baer"

QUEEN'S:—
"Mr. Dynamite"

ORIENTAL:—
"Great Hotel Murder"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Max Baer vs. Joe Louis"
"Welcome Home"

MAJESTIC:—
"Under The Pampus Moon"

Coming

KING'S:—
"The Scarlet Pimpernel"

QUEEN'S:—
"Casino de Paris"

ORIENTAL:—
"Reckless"

FURTHER FALL IN SECURITIES

(Special Air Mail Service)

London Sept. 28.

From the review of the Stock Exchange published to-day, and the long list of falls in prices there recorded, it will be seen that yesterday was a rather depressing day for those who hold or deal in securities—except, of course, "bears," and those few persons who have the courage to buy on a falling market. But in spite of the fact that British Government stocks fell to the lowest points of the year, it would be easy to exaggerate the importance of yesterday's happenings. The market appears to have taken its cue at the opening from Paris, where on Thursday the Bourse had been weak, and as this was followed by Continental selling in a market where buyers were few and far between prices fell rather sharply. But it would be in correct to say that there was any real nervousness.

The selling appeared to be of speculatively-held stock carried on borrowed money as well as on behalf of nervous investors. The New York Stock Exchange was also weak, but this was a reflecting of the weakness of London. The Paris Bourse, however, yesterday was a little steadier. Movements in commodity prices were irregular, profit-taking causing a fall in some directions, but "bullish" speculation a rise in others.

The demand for dollars again dominated the foreign exchanges yesterday. It is mainly the outcome of the tendency on the part of Continental holders of capital to transfer funds to New York. In some instances yesterday Continental owners of gold deposited in London were even reported to be selling gold and purchasing dollar funds. Gold cannot be held on private account in the United States. Gold currencies showed further general appreciation, the New York rate falling to $4.91 13-16 and the Paris rate to 74 45-64f. Large engagements of gold were reported for New York, these including a part of the £610,000 of gold sold in the London bullion market. Italian currency showed depreciation, the Milan exchange rising to 60¾f.; forward lire were nominally quoted at a discount of 1¼-21. one month, and 61. three months.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

NATHAN ROAD, KOWLOON

TO-DAY TO SATURDAY At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 P.M.

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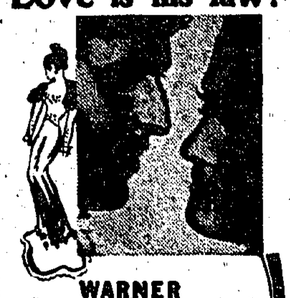

WARNER BAXTER and KETTI GALLIAN in UNDER the PAMPAS MOON

HELP THE CHILDREN

An excellent opportunity of securing attractive Christmas presents and, at the same time, helping one of the most deserving causes in the Colony, will be presented at a sale of work in aid of the Society for the Protection of Children which is being held at the Helena May Institute on Wednesday next, October 30, from 2 to 6.30 p.m.

The sale is being organised by the Women's Auxiliary of the Society, and the opening ceremony will be performed at 3 p.m. by Lady Southorn. All manner of articles will be on display at the various stalls, including Christmas presents, provisions, etc., and there will also be bran tubs and a "White Elephant" stall, whilst teas will also be served.

All articles will be found to be most reasonably priced, and as the Society is greatly in need of funds with which to carry on its excellent work, it is hoped that many parents and children will make a point of giving the sale their support.

JAPANESE BEER

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

While Japanese statesmen are making declarations sympathetic to Abyssinia, Japanese merchants are making money out of Italy.

Already many of the Italian Expeditionary Force are wearing shirts bearing the label, in English, "Made in Japan."

Japanese brewers are sharing in the harvest. Italian Somaliland has imported in the first two quarters of 1935 six times the total imports in 1934.

There is no attempt, as there often is in the case of Japanese "whisky," to disguise the country of the beer's origin. The principal brands are "Sakoura" and "Asahi."

The Nose Knows

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TO-DAY & TO-MORROW At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.

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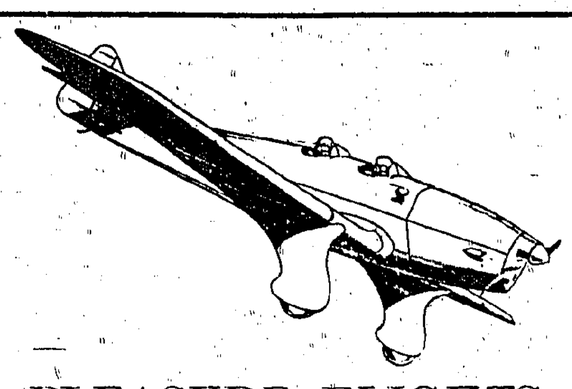

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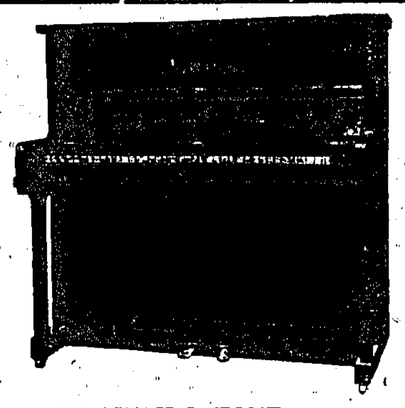

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OBITUARY

Sir Drury Wake

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

Admiral Sir Drury St. Aubyn Wake died yesterday at his home at Clapham Common at the age of 72. He was a typical seaman who preferred service afloat to shore billets, and his popularity was indicated by the nickname of "Tubby," by which he was known throughout the Service. In the War he was chiefly concerned in the "side-shows"; as he once said in a speech to the Auxiliary Patrol Club, he had encountered the R.N.V.R., not only round the coasts of these islands, but in the White Sea and in Mesopotamia.

He came of an ancient family which has given many members to the service of the Crown. He was the third son of Admiral Charles Wake, son of the tenth baronet, and entered the Britannia in July, 1876, before he was 13, having been born on September 16, 1863. His father was the hero of the episode of the Bulldog at Cape Haytien in 1865. To prevent the capture of his ship he set fire to her and abandoned her. For this he was reprimanded by a Court-martial, but public sentiment at home entirely supported him. Drury Wake first went to sea in the iron-clad Monarch, which took part in the bombardment of Alexandria in 1882, and for his services then and during the Egyptian War was awarded the Egyptian medal with clasps for Alexandria and Tel-el-Kebir, the Khedive's Star, and the Order of the Medjidieh. While serving in the Reindeer, in 1887, he won the bronze medal of the Royal Humane Society for saving a private of Marines from drowning at Pemba Island, East Coast of Africa. With the aid of some oars Wake supported the man for two hours in shark-infested waters. His career continued to be passed in seagoing ships, and up to the outbreak of the War in 1914 he commanded successively the Dido, in the Home Fleet, the Minerva in the Mediterranean, and the battleships Prince George and Formidable in the Home Fleet. While in the Minerva he was among the British naval officers who hastened to Messina at the time of the earthquake in December, 1908, to render assistance to the stricken city. For this service he was awarded the Italian medal for gallantry and was afterwards made a Commander of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus.

WAR SERVICE

Wake's service in the War took him to the two extremes of climate as represented by Archangel and the White Sea and Mesopotamia and the East Indies Station. He was appointed to command the battleship Jupiter, which in the early weeks of war operated in the southern area of the North Sea, between Dunkirk and the Nore. Early in November she moved up to the Humber, where was the headquarters of the Admiral of Patrols, and later on to the Tyne, where Captain Wake had the cruiser Brilliant and six submarines under his orders for the defence of the coast. In 1915, however, the Jupiter was sent to Archangel for use as an icebreaker, and for his services there and in the North Sea Wake was made a C.B. in June, 1916. Appointed to command the cruiser Juno, in the East Indies, he rendered valuable service to the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, and was mentioned in dispatches by Generals Sir Percy Lake and Sir W. R. Marshall. It was while in Mesopotamia that he was promoted to rear-admiral on April 26, 1917, having for some time held the rank of commodore. In January, 1917, he was made a C.I.E., and in June, 1918, was promoted to K.C.I.E. After returning home, Sir Drury volunteered for service in the Auxiliary Patrol organization, and became a temporary captain in the Royal Naval Reserve for this purpose. On September 11, 1918, he succeeded Sir James Startin as Senior Naval Officer at Granton, with his penant in the trawler Gunner. He was promoted on the retired list to vice-admiral in 1922 and to admiral in 1926.

Sir Drury married, in 1896, Edith Rose Mary, youngest daughter of the Rev. T. W. Boyce, rector of St. Werburgh's, Bristol. Their only son, an officer of the King's Royal Rifle Corps, was killed in action in September, 1918.

The funeral will be strictly private. No flowers, by request, but donations may be sent to the Waifs' and Strays' Society.

Around the Courts

TRESPASSER FINED

Chan Wai, a travelling trader, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on a charge of trespassing on the tracks of the Kowloon-Canton Railway and was fined $25 or one month's hard labour.

Inspector Stimson said it was alleged that about 11 a.m. on Tuesday a man was seen handing bags of sugar to defendant who was inside the railing of the Kowloon-Canton Railway at Tsimshatsui, and defendant crossed the tracks and placed the bags in a second-class carriage of a passenger train which was on the main line a little distance away from the platform. The duty on the sugar would have amounted to $3, or probably more.

Mr. D. C. Cathie, traffic inspector of the K.C.R., was the complainant.

ANOTHER CASE

Remarking he did not think that he could make an order in the case, Mr. Schofild, at the Central Police Court yesterday, discharged a woman, Lok Po, aged 50 years, who was charged with trespassing on Crown land at Saiwanho district.

Asked about the Government's attitude towards the continuance of the structure, Mr. W. E. Hollands, of the Public Works Department, replied that the permit was already issued to another party and they had no power to pull down the structure.

At the hearing last week defendant pleaded that a man, Na Wai, took the permit away from her, as she owed him money. Mr. Hollands said a letter was received from Ng Wai stating that the defendant was occuping his house and would not leave. Apparently she was allowed to live there for a few months during Ng Wai's absence. Actually, the defendant was now trespassing on Crown land, but there was a permit for the structure.

CINEMA SEATS DAMAGED

When they appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday it was stated that Tin Choi and Ho Tam-fuk had deliberately damaged 25 seats at the Mei Chiu Cinema on Tuesday night. They were remanded till Tuesday next.

The manager of the theatre, Lau Hang-sang, appeared as complainant.

Sub-Inspector Whelan stated that defendants attended the 7.35 p.m. performance on Tuesday night. At the end of the performance first accused stood up on his seat and shouted that the performance was too short and urged the people to break up the things and get their money back. This was acted upon by the people sitting in the seats two rows at the back of the thirdclass.

Both defendants pleaded not guilty and the case was remanded. Bail was granted in the sum of $50 each.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL MOULTON-BARRETT

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept. 30.

Lieut.-Col. Harry Peyton Moulton-Barrett, of High Park, Bideford, late The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, died on Monday at Mallacleave, Bideford, at the age of 73. With Lieut.-General Sir Edward Altham and Lieut.-Col. E. M. Moulton-Barrett, of Westover, Calbourne, I.W., he wrote a letter in "The Times" in August, 1930, protesting, as grandsons of Mr. Barrett, against the character of Mr. Barrett as presented in the play "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." Subsequently the author and the producer of the play wrote to Lieut.-Col. H. P. Moulton-Barrett expressly disclaiming any intention of presenting Mr. Barrett as an immoral character, and declaring that there was no foundation whatever for any such suggestion.

MASONIC HONOUR FOR LORD HAREWOOD

London, Sept. 28.

Lord Harewood was on Saturday installed as Grand Superintendent of Royal Arch Masons of the West Riding of Yorkshire. The ceremony took place in the Town Hall, Leeds, and was performed by Canon Hubett Curtis, assisted by Mr. A. Burnett Brown and Mr. R. W. E. Dixon, who formed part of a delegation from London. A banquet, attended by 350 members, followed the installation.

EXTRADITION CASE

The extradition proceedings against Chiu Shiu-ting, alias Tsui Kau alias Chan Siu-fun, wanted by the Chinese authorities in connection with an alleged robbery at Ko Sa village, Siu Lam, Chung Shan District, were continued before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday. It is alleged that defendant, together with nine others had robbed a farmer, Liu Shuen-lung (since dead) of the sum of $1,055 in Cantonese money.

Leung Sun, called by the prosecution, said that he was the officer-in-command of the Central Squad of the District Garrison of Chung Shan District. The Garrison was under the control of the Magistracy of Chung Shan. Witness held his present position since August last, and he knew fugitive, who was connected with the Magistracy as a detective. Witness did not know when he joined the force but he left in June last year. The fugitive had been officer-in-command of a small company, called the "King Wai Dui"

Witness went on to say that he knew about the robbery of May 5, last at Ko Sa. He had received written instructions for the arrest of the fugitive in connection with the robbery, the instructions being received on August last.

After further evidence was heard, the hearing was adjourned.

VERDICT OF MURDER

Murder against a person or persons unkown was the verdict returned by the jury in an enquiry into the circumstances attending the death of a Chinese male, named Cheng Chung Ping, aged 37 who died in the early hours of August 27. The inquiry was taken by Mr. E.I. Wynne Jones sitting as Coroner at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

The jurymen who comprised: Messrs. A.E. Silkstone (foreman) B.C. Randall and S. J. Pollock also found that deceased died from a ruptured spleen as a result of a blow received during an attack made upon him on August.

In summing up, the Coroner pointed out to the jury that the evidence that had been offered in Court, had in the main, consisted of hearsay.

The jury retired for a few moments and returned the verdict as stated above.

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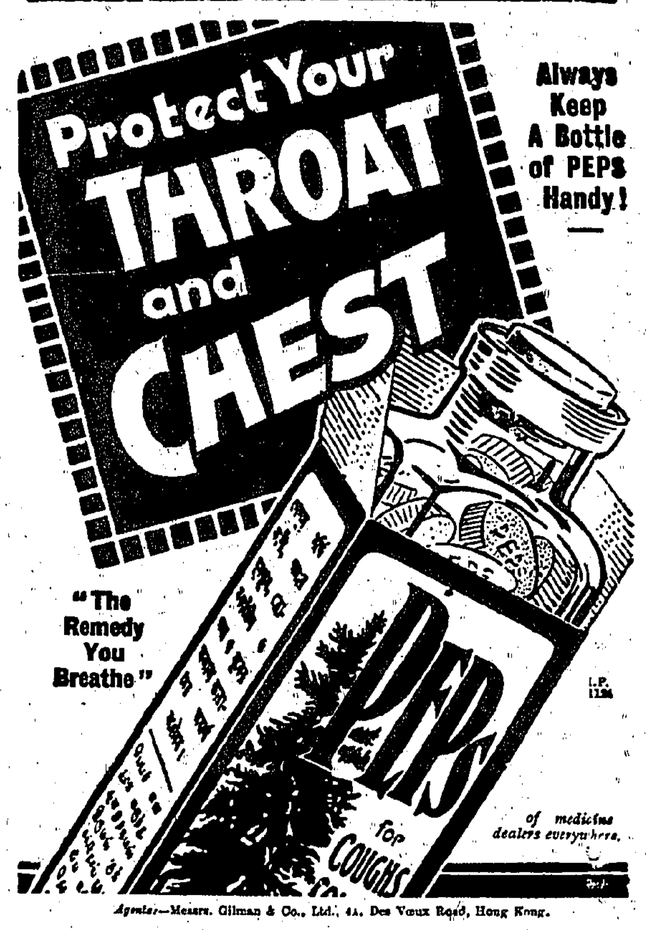

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CHINESE COMMUNITY ENTERTAINS

Tributes To The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo

"On account of the unavoidable absence of the Chairman, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, the pleasant duty devolves upon me on behalf of all, to extend to the Hon. Mr. Lo Man Kam our heartiest congratulations upon his appointment as Chinese member of the Legislative Council," said Mr. Li Sing Kui, the Vice-Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, at a tea party which was given at the Roof Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel yesterday by the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, the Tung Wah Hospital and the Po Leung Kuk, in honour of the Hon. Mr. Lo.

There was a large and representative gathering of local Chinese business men and merchants present at the function, and among those noted were Sir Robert Ho Tung, Kt., The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, The Hon. Dr. S. W. Tso, Mr. Li Sing Kui, Mr. Sinn Ping Hee, Mr. Ng Yiu Wan, Dr. Li Shu Fan, Messrs. Chan Ping Au, Mok Kon Sang, Li Po Kwai, Ho Wing, Kwok Shin Lau, Ho Kam Tong and many others.

MR. LI'S SPEECH

In introducing the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo to the guests the Vice-Chairman, Mr. Li Sing Kui said in part:—

Gentlemen:—I am sure I am voicing the sentiments of all, when I say that while congratulating Mr Lo, the Chinese Community have very good reasons to congratulate itself upon having such a fitting and distinguished representative on the Legislative Council.

I had the pleasure of knowing Mr Lo for 20 years, in fact ever since he commenced the practice of law. I have always known him to be modest, unassuming and loyal to his friends. To me, he is a man of great learning, integrity and perseverance and what is more, he is liked by all those with whom he comes in contact.

MANY ACTIVITIES

Concerning his activities, they are many and varied. I am afraid time does not permit me to even ennumerate them. But I must at least mention a few of the principal public services which he has so valuably rendered to the Colony in general and the Chinese Community in particular.

For several years Mr. Lo served as a Chinese member on the Sanitary Board, in which capacity he has rendered valuable services in the interest of public health.

He is known as one of the ablest and most successful Chairmen of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital. Besides these he had served as Chairman to numerous public bodies such as the Chinese Club, the Children's Playground Association, the Association for the Protection of Children etc.

But I wish to take this opportunity to refer particularly to the unique services which Mr. Lo has rendered to the Chinese Chamber of Commerce. They were indeed numerous but I should like to mention three of them.

Firstly, for 19 years he has served as Honorary Legal Adviser to the Chamber, during which time he has rendered numerous valuable services gratuitously and ungrudgingly.

Secondly, the Chamber owed it to him that the memorandum and articles of association of the Chamber was prepared and incorporated this year.

Thirdly, for a number of years he has served as a member of the Executive Comittee of the Chamber. In the discharge of his duties he has given much of his valuable time and labour in spite of his manifold duties elsewhere.

It is only fitting therefore that I should take this opportunity to express to Mr. Lo on behalf of the Chamber our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude for what he has done.

Gentlemen, I ask you to rise and drink with me the health of Mr. Lo coupled with the name of Mrs. Lo may they both enjoy many years of happiness, and prosperity. (Applause).

THE HON. MR. M. K. LO

In replying and thanking the guests, the Hon. Mr. Lo said:—

Mr. Chairmen, Committee Members and Gentlemen:—I am very grateful to-day for the kindness and courtesy extended to me by the three imporant institutions, the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, the Tung Wah Hospital and the Po Leung Kuk, in entertaining me at this function, and in giving me such a treasured souvenir. I feel gratified by the kind presence of the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, and my father-in-law, Sir Robert Ho Tung. I am happy that Sir Robert has recovered from his recent illness, and is thus able to attend his function.

I know that I do not deserve the eulogies of the three chairmen.

It is an undoubted fact that the goodwill of the whole of the Chinese community of Hong Kong centres round these three institutions, whose past and present members of the committees, all prominent gentlemen in the Colony, so worthily maintain the splendid tradition of devoted services to the general welfare of the community.

I feel I can claim some close connection with all these three institutions. My father, the late Mr. Lo Cheung Shiu, did his best for all three institutions, and was an intimate friend and collaborator of many present to-day. As regards the Chamber of Commerec and the Tung Wah, I have acted as honorary legal adviser for many years. As regards the Po Leung Kuk, its committee members, as I have said, are all well-known and highly respected. For instance, the former chairman, Mr. Tam Woon Tong, with whom I have had long and friendly relations, served two terms as chairman, and it is due to the energy and zeal of Mr. Tam and his colleagues that we have the present fine and imposing Po Leung Kuk building. In 1932, under the chairmanship of Mr. Tang Shiu Kin, I received the appointment as Honorary Legal Adviser to that institution.

FRIENDLY RELATIONS

In narrating the above, I do so not out of conceit for any little service I may have rendered to these institutions, but to emphasise my long and friendly relations with them. As a member of the Legislative Council, I must rely on their advice and assistance. If, in memory of my long and friendly association with these institutions, you will readily render that advice and assistance to me, and, deeming that I am not too unworthy to be taught, you will condescend to teach me, then I feel that the benefit I shall have obtained from this pleasant function will be great indeed, and I shall be everlastingly grateful. In thanking you, I wish these three great institutions many thousands of years of prosperity, and I wish you all excellent health. (Applause).

POPPY DAY FUND

Previously acknowledged	$480
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Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maunder, Secretary to Earl Haig's Fund, York Building, Hong Kong.

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NEW BATTLESHIP FOR FRANCE

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

The French battleship Dunkerque, which is to be floated out of the building dock at Brest to-day, was laid down over two years ago as a reply to the German "pocket battleship" of 10,000 tons.

The Dunkerque is the first battleship to be built in France since 1914.

She will displace 26,500 tons and be equipped with turbine engines of 100,000 h.p. for a speed of 30 knots. In all but name, therefore, she is a battle cruiser.

A sister ship, to be named Strasbourg, was ordered a year ago. Meanwhile Italy's action in starting two 35,000-ton battleships has compelled France to design an equally powerful type of vessel. The first of these, the France, is to be laid down this year, and a second ship, Verdun, has been authorised.

In all, therefore, France will eventually have under construction 123,000 tons of battleships. Great Britain is debarred by treaty from laying down any capital tonnage before January, 1937.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Councillor For The Silent Masses

(To The Editor, The Hong Kong Daily Press).

Sir,—The Councillor has endeavoured to voice the plaints of the under dogs—the Silent Masses, those who have no helper, though perhaps one class is not mentioned.

Questions arise as to taxation, are we taxed heavily? and who pay the taxes! The appearances are that Hong Kong people are lightly axed, though at one time a member of the Legislative Council set out to prove the contrary.

Hong Kong people are taxed, though it may seem that there is little taxation. Who are taxed? It would seem as if it must be the well—to—do, but probably nearly all taxation is heaviest on the under dog. That seems impossible, how can a man getting $10.00 a month be taxed? He perhaps has to support a wife and several children, it seems that some have to live on $1.89 a month per head, this may include taxes, but if so how much? His landlord charges him for the water and other taxation for police, education and the upkeep of the Government, and he has to pay something toward the $2,000,000 a year said to be paid to our retired officials and other employees of the Government who are in receipt of pensions. A proper system of payment for pensions should be arranged and one wonders why it is not in force, instead of being a continual charge on after generations.

No landlord or wealthy person will pay taxes, if he can get them paid by others. It may be said that we all prey on one another as much as possible, though some say that they assist the revenue in every way by smoking, drinking intoxicating liquors and other possible vices.

Who are the street sleepers? Probably many of them are some of the young bloods who were never prevailed upon to make provision for their old age, and so spent their earnings in foolish ways.

As for salary cuts, no one who was here in 1930 and 1931 can ever forgive the way the Government protected themselves, seeming to have no care as to what happened to anyone outside Government circles.

The criticism of the proposed $2,000,000 Government House seems to be timely—It seems to some that the Colony's Marble Hall might have done for this purpose, specially if the suggested Town Hall could be used as the Government entertainment room.

In any case Government seems to be spending on its personnel very large sums of public money, which many consider excessive.

Education—if an independent committee of citizens were to investigate the incidence of the expenditure of this department it might result in less expenditure, and more being done to keep our youngsters from running wild on the streets, and training for life as criminals.

The most important resources of a community are its young—if they are neglected the crop of evil that will grow cannot be estimated.

Much might be said in praise of our sanitary work, but at the same time constant and frequent criticisms of the way the department is carried on are heard, and tuberculosis seems to be ignored as much now as it has been for decades—anti-spitting notices excepted.

Exchange—This perennial subject is again to the fore, but if we are to have a fixed exchange, is it to be a 2s/- dollar? or a 1/- lira at 92 to the £1-?

One service the Councillor has done is to let people know that they have a right to attend the great conclave. It may be presumed that seats are provided for the public, and visitors to the Colony, as well as the press.—Yours etc.,

H.

THE FAIRLEA SCHOOL

Hold Their Annual Speech Day

A very successful year was reviewed when the Fairlea School held their annual speech day yesterday. Mrs. Tso Seen-wan giving away the certificates to the successful students.

At the conclusion of the prize-giving ceremony a concert was given by this girls and each item was well received. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Hall also addressed the gathering in the course of which he urged the girls to do their best in school, and more important still, to take their proper part in home life.

HEADMISTRESSES REPORT

In presenting her report the headmistress said in part:—

It is a great pleasure to have Mrs. Ts'o, and old friend of the school to come to distribute the certificates, and to have the Bishop in the chair.

The number of students on roll this year is similar to that of last year. We have 160 day girls and 40 boarders. There is a slight change on the Staff. Miss Pope went back to England in February and her furlough will expire next Spring and we look forward to her coming back. Meanwhile we have Miss Hancock taking Miss Pope's place. It is fortunate for us to have her in the house and we thank her very much. We also welcome Mrs. S. P. Chinn and Misses Dora King, Au Yuet Han, Yung Tip Shou, Wong Tsu Ping, Chu Yuk Lin, Lok Yuen Haan and Westcott to join the Staff. We also extend our thanks to Mrs. Li, Mrs. Lai and Miss Au who have come to fill the gaps in the absence of some of the teachers.

In the Spring the Old Girls' Association was established. There are many members and it consists of both elder and younger sets. The inaugural meeting was a happy gathering indeed.

SPORTING ACTIVITIES

In the realm of sport, progress has been made. We have net ball matches with other schools and the girls enjoy their games very much. Some of our students entered a running team for an Invitation Race at St. Paul's College Sports. The thirteen year-old swimmer, Au Yan Chiu, a Hong Kong representative at present in Shanghai for the National Athletic Meet is one of our present Junior Middle School students.

With regard to religious welfare we are glad to report that 4 Senior Middle School students were baptized in St. Stephen's Church and Holy Trinity Church last Easter.

NEW SCHOOL

Our School was opened in 1886 and at that time aimed only at a Higher Primary standard, but recently during the last few years the standard has been much higher and each year's result has been better than the last and the parents feel it is necessary for us to have a Middle School opened for their daughters. So that they may study more advanced Chinese, therefore we, complying with the parents' wishes, started a Junior Middle School in 1930 then opened a Senior Middle School in 1932. The first lot of Junior Middle School—graduates in 1932 was nine in number, and in 1933 eight girls—graduated from the Junior Middle School. This year we have nine J.M.S. graduates and 28 Higher Primary graduates. We feel this is quite a satisfactory result, but as we have added more classes, we require more class rooms. It is very kind of Miss Atkins to lend us class-rooms from the St. Stephen's Girls' College for the time being, however we have to arrange for the future. Fortunately our Bishop the Chairman of our Council helped to think out a new plan which is for us to move over to Kowloon. Our new School plan is ready and we shall start building soon, after it is finished next year, we shall move in in Autumn and when the time comes, we shall be able to tell you more fully in detail for a new page will begin in the history of our school. Our desire, as we believe in what St. Paul says, "I can do all things through Christ that strengtheneth me."

THE CERTIFICATES

Mrs. Ts'o then distributed certificates to the following girls:—

HIGHER PRIMARY SCHOOL GRADUATES

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JUNIOR MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADUATES

Cheung Yuet Kwai, Lee Wai Laan, Ma Chuen Hei, Ma Kwan Hei, Wong Sau Wa, Au Po Yin, Chan Oi Chun, Lee Pui Fong, Lee Tze Fung.

BISHOP'S SPEECH

Addressing the gathering Bishop Hall said:—

Mrs. Cheung has spoken mainly to the parents. I would like to speak mainly to the girls of the School. It is perhaps difficult for them while they are still at school to realise that many of the boys and girls who do best at examinations and get the best marks in school do not do so well in after life when they leave school. The reason for this is very simple. If you concentrate during your school time entirely on your books you are doing yourself and your life a great deal of harm. Supposing you fastened a hook to the ceiling of your room and every day during the days you were at school you hung on to that hook for an hour with your right hand. You would find before you left school that your right arm was longer than your left. Your right arm would be able to support your body without effort for an hour at a time, but it would not be so good at tennis or writing or painting.

It is equally possible to spend too much time on your study so that your mind becomes good at doing examinations and school work, but not so good at other things.

Now what happens when you get home from school? Do you say I can't do this and I can't do that because I must do my home-work, or when you go home from school are they glad for you to come home because they know you will bring helping hands and a willing heart into the home life.

GIRL GUIDES

In my church at Newcastle in England we had a company of Girl Guides and when the Commissioner came to visit them she often used to say "are your mother and father glad that you are a Girl Guide, is your home a happier place because you are Guide?".

I want to ask you the same kind of question. Is your home glad that you come to Fairlea School? Is your home a happier place when you get back to it because of the Spirit you bring from the School? Now please understand that I am not saying that your home-work or your book work does not matter. It does matter. Just as your right leg matters as well as your left leg in walking, you have to use both legs to walk, so as to be a useful woman for China and for God.

You must try and be both good at your work at school and also good at taking your share in home life.

DIARY FOUND IN RUSSIA

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

A strange book, describing Columbus's voyages, and bearing the inscription in German: "Note book of Christopher Columbus: from myself to my son, Diego, August 3, 1492," has been discovered in the archives of the Kargopol Museum, in Northern Russia.

The book has a parchment binding bearing a design of sea shells and weeds, and a round seal suspended from a long string. It is profusely illustrated with drawings.

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ADDENDUM No. 11.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

As there appears to be some doubt amongst Conference shippers regarding the interpretation of the war clause which is now attached to Booking Notes issued by the Central Booking Offices, and to Tariff Addendum No 9, the position is set forth below.

ADDENDUM No. 9:

This refers to freight quotations only, and not to bookings.

WAR CLAUSE ON BOOKING NOTES.

This clause cancels the protection which shippers had previously been given under Tariff forward booking arrangements, as the right must be reserved to increase rates or cancel bookings. In order, however, to assist shippers who require firm quotations, the Conference Lines have arranged that forward bookings may be made for usual tariff periods at current tariff rates plus 10% surcharge.

Bookings with this surcharge will be protected and will be subject to the benefit of fall, if tariff rates are not increased at the time of shipment.

The war clause applies to all bookings of tariff cargo which are made without the above mentioned surcharge.

Bookings made before the institution of the war clause are protected.

Shippers who have made forward bookings since the institution of the war clause and who desire to take advantage of the surcharge arrangement in connection with such bookings, should notify the Central Booking Office immediately.

The surcharge arrangement mentioned above will not apply to shipments of Tea or China Silk regarding which Conference Lines will give the usual notice of any ncrease in rates.

Hong Kong, 23rd October, 1935.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, to be held on SATURDAY, 2nd November, 1935, (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 24th October, 1935.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary

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SINKIANG AND MOSCOW

Reports From Japan Denied

Tientsin, Oct. 23.

General Sheng Shih-sai, military governor of China's farthest province, Sinkiang, (or Chinese Turkestan) has no intention of joining the Soviet Russian Union.

A telegram signed by Sheng, received here, reaffirmed his loyalty to the National Government at Nanking, and declared that Sinkiang's only interest in Russia is the promotion of trade and friendship.

Recent widely circulated reports originating in Japan alleged that Sinkiang is rapidly becoming sovietized and that actual union with the Moscow Communist regime is imminent.

Tokyo reports said a "Turkestan soyle republic" was about to be established in Sinkiang, permitting Moscow to exercise dominance similar to that gained in Outer Mongolia. The Tokyo Government was represented as taking a most serious view of the situation.

The "Red general," Sheng Shi-sai, said the Tokyo reports, aided by Siberian arms and troops, defeated opposing forces and established a red-tinged government at Urumchi.

Sheng's army was said to include 10,000 men commanded by Su Ping-wen, who fought the Japanese in northwest Manchuria until the fall of 1933.—
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PROSPEROUS AUSTRALIA

Five years have elapsed since Australia, one of the first countries to be caught in the hurricane of depression, called in Sir Otto Niemeyer, of the Bank of England, to advise her as to the best way of escaping from the financial crisis which threatened to engulf her. A series of drastic economies were drawn up and accepted after much dispute, and although the sacrifices were heavy, they were borne cheerfully and the results have shown in no uncertain manner that these sacrifices were thoroughly justified. Two years ago the Federal Budget already showed a large surplus and this enabled the Government to make substantial remissions of taxation, together with a partial restoration of pay cuts. Another large surplus was applied to further alleviation last year while in the financial year ended June 30, last, the revenue again exceeded the estimates by about £4,000,000 though it was absorbed in subsidies to the still poverty-stricken wheat grower. In the new Budget for the coming year, introduced recently, it was possible to grant only minor remissions of taxation but the Federal financial position remains sound and unless unforeseen expenditures should crop up in the course of the year, there is every reason to hope for a useful margin at the end of the year.

This steady process of financial rehabilitation has undoubtedly been an important contributory cause of the marked improvement in the general economic condition of the country. Australia's credit which had sunk to unprecedented levels in the heyday of Mr. Lang, has been so well and truly reestablished that she has been able to convert sterling debt to a much more favourable basis. This restoration of confidence has assisted enormously in the expansion of trade and industry but at the same time due acknowledgment must be paid to the part played by the exceptional prices which Australia received for her woollen exports in the year 1933-4, for they not only imparted a strong stimulus to the economic system as a whole, but also enabled Australia to accumulate a large balance in London. So far as trade balance is concerned a fall in export values together with an increase in imports has reduced the exports surplus considerably below the high level reached in 1933-4, thus leaving an insufficient margin to cover the current overseas debt charges. But Australia still retained ample resources from the preceding ample to draw upon and is in no immediate danger of renewed stringency, and provided she keeps to the course pursued in the last few years she can look forward to the future with confidence.

AGED FIELD MARSHAL HONOURED

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Oct. 22.

The eighty-six year old Field Marshal August von Mackensen, who is the oldest living German army leader in the Great War, was the recipient of a special honour on Tuesday when Premier Goering, on behalf of Herr Hitler, presented the veteran soldier with the title deed of the Prussian domanial estate of Bruessow, near Prenzlau, in the province of Brandenburg, 25 miles north of Berlin.

The presentation took place in the presence of Reichs Ministers Baron von Neurath, Count Schwerin-Krosigk and many other prominent representatives of the state party and the army.

Premier Goering in the course of his speech recalled the distinguished services of the Field Marshal in times of war and peace. In reply the veteran soldier said that his family had been established in the same farm for three hundred years and he had, as a boy, learnt how to till the land. Now that he had done his share with the sword, he would gladly return to the plough.—
Transocean Kuo Min.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

Pilot Cool In Face Of Danger

Vienna, Oct. 23.

Passengers by the Imperial Airways liner had a miraculous escape from death when the plane in which they were travelling from Vienna to London crashed in wooded country in Lower Austria.

The machine was driving through a storm when heavy cakes of ice formed on the wings and she was gradually forced down.

Only the skill and coolness of the pilot saved the passengers from certain death and all escaped without a scratch.

The pilot and telegraphist, however, sustained superficial injuries.—
Reuter.

BRAZIL TO IGNORE SANCTIONS

London, Oct. 23.

News has been received from Rome to the effect that the Brazilian Government has informed the Italian Government that she does not consider herself under any obligation to apply sanctions against Italy.

Brazil is not a League member and this decision has particular significance in view of Sir Samuel Hoare's expression of hope that the imposition of sanctions would not be frustrated by non-members.

It is felt here that Brazil's example might possibly be followed by other non-members and this would naturally stiffen Italy's attitude when further peace discussions are under way.—
Reuter.

U.S. WAR SECRETARY IN NANKING

Nanking, Oct. 23.

The American War Secretary, Mr. George H. Dern and party arrived from Shanghai this morning and received greetings from a large group of Chinese and American officials. He spent the morning sight-seeing, including a visit to the Sun Yat Sen Mausoleum.

Mr. Dern later called on Mr. Wang Ching-wei and in the afternoon attended General Ho Ying-ching's tea party at which 1,600 attended. Mr. Wang is entertaining the visitor at dinner to-night and the latter will return to Shanghai by the midnight express.
—*Reuter.*

FRUITLESS SEARCH FOR LIFEBOATS

London, Oct. 23.

No trace has been found of the lifeboats of the Glasgow steamer Vardulia which foundered in the gale, although the searching vessels have combed the seas far and wide.

Almost all hope has now been given up of finding any of the unfortunate seamen whose boats are believed to have been swamped by the tremendously heavy seas.—
Reuter.

SIR AUSTEN'S VIEWS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Paris, Oct. 22.

Great Britain will recoil from no measure, however far reaching should the League of Nations deem it necessary, said Sir Austen Chamberlain in an interview published in the Paris paper, "Marianne," in the course of which Sir Austen discussed the British attitude towards the Italo-Abyssinian conflict, as well as the scope of the Locarno Treaty.

Only the friendly alliance between France and Britain can bring about their common reconciliation with Germany whose withdrawal from the League does not affect the Locarno arrangements, added the ex-British Foreign Minister.

Sir Austen went on to say that although the Locarno Treaty is adequate it would be a good thing if the Air Convention could be concluded as soon as possible between France, Britain, Germany and Italy. The British Government, so Sir Austen concluded, is determined that Britain shall have an air fleet equal to any nation by whom she can be attacked.—
Transocean Kuo Min.

CHINA'S PROVINCES IN THE NORTH

Co-operation With Japan Or Separation

Shanghai, October 23.

A threat that Japan would move to separate the North China provinces from the control of Nanking unless the Central Government co-operates with the Japanese was contained in a statement issued by a spokesman at the Japanese Embassy here.

The spokesman said that Chinese fears of a Japanese-sponsored movement for the separation of North China from Nanking, would be warranted "only if Nanking intends to refuse to co-operate with the Japanese in promoting the developing of a natural economic affinity between North China and Manchukuo, and in combating communistic influences working through Outer Mongolia."

Such fears have been in evidence for some time, and were heightened by Dairen dispatches regarding the conference of the Kwangtung army leaders there with respect to North China.

"Japan feels that these objectives," the Japanese spokesman continued, "which are equally in China's as in Japan's interests, can best be achieved with Nanking's voluntary co-operation, without change in the political status of the north.

"But if such co-operation is lacking, Japan must proceed independently, which doubtless will mean political separation of Hopei, Shantung, Suiyuan, Chahar and Shansi provinces from China.

"Future events will depend upon Nanking's attitude. Ultimately Far Eastern peace depends upon the co-operation of China with Manchukuo and Japan.

"However, this does not mean that Japan is pressing for early recognition of Manchukuo, although this doubtless will come in due course, as it is more in the interest of China than in that of Manchukuo."

The statement was viewed as significant in the light of recent developments.—
Union News.

NANKING ACTIVITY

Nanking, Oct. 23.

In view of the stiffening Japanese army attitude towards China, General Chiang Kai Shek, is making an effort to consolidate the National Government's military and political strength in central and west China.

The last few days have seen the largest pouring in of troops in the Nanking area since 1932, when the fighting with the Japanese at Shanghai was in progress.

Chiang completed three days of conferences with high government officials here and left on Monday for Fenghua, his native place in Chekiang province.

Officials are frankly concerned over advices from Dairen that the Japanese army is prepared to demilitarization of all provinces north of the Yellow river unless all sources of friction in that area are uprooted, leading to possible political divorcement from Nanking.

Japan's revised policies towards China are expected to be explained to the Chinese leaders by Ambassador Akira Ariyoshi when he comes to Nanking following the Shanghai conference of Japanese diplomatic and military authorities.
Union News.

REVOLT OF FARMERS

Peiping, Oct. 22

Pai Chen-wu, the man who led the abortive attack on Peiping a few weeks ago, is allegedly behind the self-government movement at present spreading in North China.

Moreover, it is revealed that Japanese gendarmes sent from Peiping arrested six Japanese ronins at Hsiangho, where fighting occurred yesterday between farmers and the town guards. The Japanese were allegedly fighting side-by-side with the farmers. One man was killed and several wounded.

The ronins were searched and cross-examined and were later sent under guard to Tientsin.

It is learned in reliable sources that the revolt at Hsiangho was organised and led by a rich farmer, who was backed by at least 1,090 farmers. Under his direction they demand the abolition of the land taxes and self-government throughout the hsien.

Well informed quarters assert that the movement is being fostered by elements antipathetic to the present North China regime and that the demand for self-government is likely to spread throughout the demilitarised zone. The same movement has already made its appearance at Changling, thirty miles north of Peiping, where a body of farmers has demonstrated before the hsien magistrate.

The name of Pai Chen-wu is being freely linked with all these developments.—
Reuter.

AUTHORITIES ALERT

Peiping, Oct. 23.

Concerning the disturbances in the districts bordering the demilitarised sone, information received this evening stated that the disturbance is not likely to spread to Sanho, a city neighbouring Hsiangho. As the local police and military at Sanho have been keeping close surveillance over the turbulent farmers, the situation is unlikely to develop into serious dimensions.

With reference to the situation at Hsiangho, it was understood that order in the city was well maintained by local police. In the outskirts of the city, however, more farmers gathered in the villages and their number was growing rapidly into menacing proportions. The authorities are now taking steps to disperse the crowd.—
Central News Agency.

DISTURBANCE SPREADS

Peiping, Oct. 23.

The disturbance, which started at Hsiangho two days ago, under the pretext of protesting against the imposition of surtax on land, has spread to Wuching and Changping, according to information received here from authoritative sources.

The turbulent farmers at Hsiangho made a forced entry into the city yesterday afternoon and they elected their ringleader An Hou Tsai, a local gentry, as the provisional magistrate. Magistrate Chao Hsi Liang and his subordinate officials had all fled from Hsiangho when the farmers entered the city. The rioters are now in complete control of the city.

A similar disturbance has broken out at Wuching and Changping under the instigation of Pai Chien Wu and Shih Yu Shan. Pai was said to be hiding at Dairen, from where he has been directing the activities of his followers, who were now distributing in the districts bordering the demilitarized zone.

General Shang Chen, Chairman of the Hopei Provincial Government, has sent a representative to Hsiangho to make an investigation into the situation now existing there.

Captain Chang Chen Yu and Li Yun Shen, of the Special Police, arrived here this morning from the demilitarized zone, to submit a report to General Shang on the conditions in their garrison areas following the outbreak of the Hsiangho incident.—
Central News Agency.

CAR HELD UP BY ARMED ROBBERS

An armed robery suspected to have been committed by the same gang that have terrorised the New Territories for the past few weeks, was perpetrated yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock when a public car was stopped, and the passengers searched and stripped of their money and jewellery.

The robbery was stated to have taken place at the 12 1/2 mile stone, and the methods employed by the robbers in this latest case were identical in many respects to those reported in the past few weeks.

The car (No. 276) it appears was on the way to Castle Peak, when it was ambushed, the passengers and driver being threatened with revolvers. All were ordered out of the car and money, totalling nearly $15, and a gold finger ring were taken.

The robbers decamped before the alarm could be raised. Three passengers were in the car at the time of the robbery.

SWATOW TAX DISPUTE

Settled Amicably On The Spot

Canton, Oct. 23.

A semi-official report to-day disclosed that the rice and beans detained by the Gityang County Kuominang, which really belonged to Chinese and not Japanese merchants, were released to the owners after paying the agricultural special tax.

The goods detained were sold by Japanese merchants to Chinese dealers at Swatow, who shipped the agricultural products to Kityang without paying the tax. The magistrate of Kityang therefore detained the goods under authority of the tax regulations.

Japanese merchants in Swatow declared that the merchandise belonged to them, because although the goods were delivered to the Chinese, payment was not yet made. Mr. C. Harada, Japanese Consul in Swatow, represented to the Chinese municipal authorities that the title to the goods still remained with the Japanese merchants and not with the Chinese buyers.

The Japanese Consul objected to payment of the agricultural tax by his nationals, although he conceded that Customs duties should be paid.

The Chinese authorities successfully argued that payment was not the test of ownership and that title to the goods was passed by delivery to the Chinese merchants, who are liable to pay the agricultural tax.

Chinese merchants paid the tax on September 16, whereupon the goods were released. Similar cases in the future will be settled in the same way, and further incidents will be unlikely. The Japanese warships left Swatow on October 17.

It transpires that Rear-Admiral S. Shimomura of the Fifth Destroyer Squadron called on Lieut.-General Li Han-yun, Pacification Commissioner in Swatow, and discussed the matter informally, both being in agreement that the matter be settled amicably on the spot.—
Union News.

MEMEL ELECTION

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Memel, Oct. 22.

The electoral commission decided on Tuesday to overrule all objections raised against the recent elections in the Memel territory and proclaim the elections to be valid. The Diet will thus be composed of 24 German speaking and five Lithuanian deputies. Under these provisions, the new electoral law, the Governor of Memel territory as well as the president of the directory, and every elector, may appeal against the electrol commissions decision to the Supreme Court of Lithuania, which must pronounce their final decision on the matter within ten days.—
Transocean Kuo Min.

NEWS SUMMARY

Another full programme of Home football matches has been arranged for Saturday and in selecting the probable winners, our football correspondent gives the distances that visiting teams will have to travel and also a record of last year's games. Page 10.

There was a large number of race enthusiasts at the rails yesterday morning at Happy Valley when a large number of ponies were sent out on training gallops. The times taken make extremely interesting reading and will be found on page 10.

At attempt to evade duty on packets of sugar was disclosed at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, when Chan Wai, 23, travelling trader, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones on a charge of trespassing on the tracks of the Kowloon-Canton Railway. Defendant was fined $25, or, in default, one month's hard labour. Page 6.

The extradition proceedings against Chiu-Shiu-ting, alias Tsui Kau, alias Chan Siu-fun, wanted by the Chinese authorities in connection with a robbery at Ko Sa village, Siu Lam, Chung Shan District, were continued before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday, but after further evidence was taken the hearing was again adjourned. Page 6.

In the final of the Army tennis championship (singles) at Sookunpoo yesterday, Staff Sergt. Warr who was in the semi-finals of the Army championship in England, beat Sergt. Wilson in straight sets, the score being 6-3; 6-4. A large number of people were present to watch the match which produced some good tennis. Page 10.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor, at the Criminal Sessions yeserday prosecuted four men for the murder of Au Wan-fai at Chukowan village, Lantau Island, September 1 last year.

The case is proceeding. Page 11.

A large number of members and friends were present at the tea party reception, which was held at the Roof Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel yesterday evening, in honour of the recent appointment of the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Legal Adviser of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, as a member of the Legislative Council. Page 7.

TORNADO IN GREECE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Athens, Oct 22.

A violent tornado swept over the port of Kalamaki early this morning and in less than five minutes wrought tremendous havoc in the outlying parts of the town, carrying away roofs and completely wrecking many of the smaller buildings.

Although fortunately, no lives were lost, several persons suffered minor injuries.—
Transocean Kuo Min.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Sir Cecil Clementi, former Chief Scout of Hong Kong and Malaya, has become vice-president of the Scout Group at Holmer Green, near Amersham.

The sudden application of his brakes caused Sing Kwan, driver of a Star taxicab, to dash his face through the windscreen. He was sent to the hospital suffering from cuts.

Hung Kwok Hing reports to the police that while driving lorry 3492 in Hennessy Road, Wanchai, on Tuesday, he knocked down a man, Hung Poo Shing, who sustained injuries, necessitating his removal to the Government Civil Hospital.

The police on Tuesday removed to the Kowloon mortuary the body of a Japanese, named Nobunira Yoshimura, chief fireman on the steam trawler Rokko Maru, who died as the result of injuries received when he was struck by a driving crane while working in the engine room of the vessel. The accident happened in the Gulf of Tongking on October 20.

The Great Northern Telegrahp Company (Limited), informs us that the following Unclaimed Telegrams are lying in their offices.—Mrs. Bodenstedt Tjisalak Javalyn, from Shanghai; Tanchengyan c/o Great Eastern Hotel, from Kobe; Yamada Matsubara Hotel, from Nagoya; Yuloh, from Shanghai; 1020, from Kobe; and 5349, from Shanghai.

Mr. G. White, B. Sc., etc., will deliver a lecture to the Hong Kong University Engineering Society on "The Forth Bridge: Some points of special interest in its Design and Construction" on Friday, October 25, 1935, at 8.30 p.m. in Room "K" of the University. All interested are welcome.

Gun practice with live ammunition will be carried out from Pakshawan Fort in the direction of Junk Island on Wednesday, October 30, 1935, between the hours of 8.30 a.m. and 11.30 p.m., and again between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 p.m.

Two cases of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on October 22.

The Craigengower Cricket Club are holding their annual "At Home" on Sunday, October 27, when prior to the distribution of prizes won during the year, which will be performed by Mrs. B. W. Bradbury, a tennis tournament (American system). A tea dance will follow.

MORE SERIOUS THAN COVENANT OF THE LEAGUE

Breach By Italy of Pact Of Paris

LORD CREWE STATES HIS VIEWS

Commission To Eritrea Suggested

London, October 23.

Debates on the international situation will be continued in both Houses of Parliament this afternoon. The first speaker in the Commons will be the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, and other ministers as well as leading elder statesmen will take part.

In the House of Lords last night, the Liberal leader of the House, Lord Crewe, expressed the view that breach by Italy of her obligation under the Pact of Paris was even more serious than her breach of the Covenant of the League, not merely because it was a more recent obligation but because its terms were more definite and explicit than those of the Covenant.

The League, he added, if it were to retain any prestige, must see this thing through. He hoped therefore that the Government in conference with other members would continue to press for and even insist on early discussion of what the terms of final settlement were to be. Those terms ought not to depend upon the success or failure of the Italian campaign. The settlement ought to be considered in abstract without reference to what might happen in Abyssinia.

Lord Hardinge said Italy's aggressive attack could not be sufficiently condemned, but he had no sympathy with the Abyssinian Government who had broken pledges just as Italy had done and had entirely ignored the conditions under which they had entered the League of Nations.

He urged the Government to refrain from any sanctions which might be interpreted as being of military character and might precipitate war.

Lord Mottison suggested that a small commission should go to Eritrea, and another possibly to Anglo-Egyptian Soudan, and report fully to the League of Nations.—*British Wireless.*

IN THE COMMONS

London, Oct. 22.

The House of Commons met to-day at 2.45 p.m. in an atmosphere charged with excitement. The House and galleries were crowded; there was a full attendance of Ministers and Opposition; everyone hung on the words of the Foreign Minister, Sir Samuel Hoare, who has been directing British diplomacy at Geneva in the days of crisis, and opened the debate on foreign affairs.

While events moved with great rapidity, declared the Foreign Minister, British policies had remained unchanged. The greatest source of comfort is the unbroken solidarity of the British Empire, particularly the Dominions, whose representatives acting as co-equals, considering their own interests and obligations, had shown the world and Britain that they have the same outlook on principles of international conduct.

"We are earnestly trying to make the position of the League Covenant succeed, because we are convinced that if it fails the world, and Europe particularly, will be faced with a period of almost unbelievable danger and gloom," Sir Samuel asserted.

CRITICISMS REPUDIATED

The Foreign Secretary repudiated the criticisms that Britain's representative on the League Counill, Mr. Anthony Eden, Minister for League Affairs, was constantly exceeding his instructions and taking the lead where no lead should be taken.

"Let me once and for all dissipate this myth," Sir Samuel insisted. "Mr. Eden with great ability has been carrying out the policy of the united Government. The only difference between us is that while I express my views dully and drably, and with little emotion, he acts with brilliance and charm in everything he says.

"With regard to the charge that Great Britain is taking the lead at Geneva, the representatives of the British Empire can never take a secondary part in any great international discussion," he warned.

LEFT NO DOUBT

Britain had left Italy no doubt whatever as to her attitude. Britain believed that economic sanctions, collectively applied and not frustrated by non-members of the League, would definitely shorten the duration of the Ethiopian war.

The French answer to the British inquiry with respect to a possible attack by Italy upon British units of the Fleet in the Mediterranean, had been complete and satisfactory, the Foreign Secretary went on. The solidarity of Great Britain and France had been established definitely. In the event of an isolated attack, Britain, France and the League would stand together and resist it with the full united force of all League allies.

NO DISCUSSION

"We do not intend to act alone. There has been no discussion at Geneva of military sanctions and no such measures form any part of our policy. Not a week has passed without our expressing our readiness to participate in bringing about an honourable settlement, acceptable to Italy, the League and Ethiopia.

"There is still a breathing-space before economic sanctions are applied, and pressure brought to bear. Connct it be used for an eleventh-hour attempt at a peaceful settlement, as as to make it unnecessary before economic sanctions are applied to proceed further against a fellow-member of the League, an old friend and former ally?" he pleaded.

STAND WELCOMED

Major Clement R. Attlee, leader of the Labour Opposition, declared that his party's policy was based on the need for subordinating personal considerations to those of the League and ultimately of a great world economic commonwealth.

He welcomed Sir Samuel Hoare's stand for the League Covenant, but criticised the Government's earlier inaction. He said the present position was largely due to the League's and Britain's failure to act in the Sino-Japanese dispute.

Labour supported economic sanctions and the League system, but the League must face realities in the future.

MATTER FOR THE LEAGUE

He urged the Government to get rid of every suspicion of being not disinterested in the Ethiopian question by scrapping any advantage which past treaties gave to Britain. The Nile water supply should be a matter for the League, while Egypt should be relieved from its present relationship with Great Britain and the Sudan should be administered under a League mandate.

Major Attlee criticised the Government's rearmament policy and said that Labourites were prepared to support such armament as was necessary to fulfil Britain's League obligations, but they would not give the Government a blank cheque.

Labour would go to the polls with a programme of socialism and peace, convinced that they were inseparable.—*Reuter.*

SIR SAMUEL'S SPEECH

French Press Opinion

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press").

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Paris, Oct 23.

Emphasis is laid on collective action in the application of sanctions by Sir Samuel Hoare in his House of Commons speech on Tuesday, which is noted by the majority of papers with satisfaction. Columns were devoted to the British Foreign Minister's declaration.

It was apparent that in the main the speech professed a belief in collective security, writes "Le Jour," adding, however, that England was rather late in declaring her adhesion to this principle.

Not only the British Government but the whole of the British nation are now behind the idea of collective security, maintains "Le Nouvelle" and one ought to realise in France what this means for the future.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent).

London, Oct. 23.

London Silver prices to-day were unchanged as follow:—

	Oct. 22	Oct. 23
Spot	29-5/16	29-5/16
Forward	29-1/4	29-1/4

London on New York cross-rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9193 compared with 4.9137 at closing yesterday.

LUKEWARM COMMENT

Rome, Oct. 23.

Only the Italian newspaper "Populo de Roma" had any comment to make on Sir Samuel Hoare's speech in the Commons yesterday, but the comment is couched in extremely lukewarm tones.

The paper's headlines described Sir Samuel Hoare's speech as "merely a prudent discourse for internal consumption" and the paper goes on to say that Italy is still awaiting from England word of a practical nature designed to settle the differences between the two countries.—*Reuter.*

SPEECH WELCOMED

Paris, Oct. 23.

"Le Matin" welcomes Sir Samuel Hoare's speech "not only for clarifying the future role of Britain in the Italo-Abyssinian dispute but also for creating a general quietening feeling in the air as a prelude to a peaceful settlement of the whole affair."

Some other papers, however, regard the speech as having been influenced to some extent by the British forthcoming general election, hinting that the British Foreign Minister did not speak as freely as he might have done in other circumstances.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH VIEWS

London, Oct. 23.

Commenting on to-day's foreign atairs debate in the House of Commons, the 'Daily Telegraph' says that inasmuch as a continuance of Ethiopian war rests in the hands of Signor Mussolini, one of the most important passages in Sir Samuel Hoare's speech was that in which he made a direct and powerful appeal to Italy.

The 'News Chronicle' is suspicious that the Government contemplates once more a half-hearted policy, which without condoning Italy's flagrant breach of the Covenant is incapable of bringing the aggressor to book.

The 'Daily Herald' says Sir Samuel Hoare's speech was a gloomy confirmation of all the deepening anxieties and growing suspicions of the Government's foreign policy.—*Reuter.*

ETHIOPIANS PREPARE FOR BATTLE

War Minister At Head Of Troops

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press").

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Addis Ababa, Oct 23.

The Abyssinian War Minister, Ras Mulagueta, who left here last week at the head of the army, has taken over the entire command of the Abyssinian forces on the north front, where, according to reports circulating here, the Italian attack is awaited at any moment

The first command issued to Ras Seyoum was to hold the present lines around Adowa and Makale at any price. The Abyssinian Tigre army, according to an Abyssinian military source, is concentrating chiefly on the line north of the mountains between Edaga and Hamle Range, averaging 2,500 metres, at an altitude of fifty kilometres south of Makale with forces numbering 150,000. The chief Italian army is fortified around Adowa.

According to reports from travellers from Lake Rudolf district, the ex-Emperor of Abyssinia, Lidsch Jassu, who was disposed eighteen years ago by the present Negus, is being kept under strong guard near the fortified British colony of Kenya, in the extreme south-west of Abyssinia as far removed from Italian inuuence as is possible, for fear he should fall into Italian hands and be proclaimed the rightful Emperor.

The Negus who left the capital on Tuesday returned again to the Palace after a short airplane reconnoitring flight, and proposes to leave for the front on Thursday, after receiving Prince Ismail Daud, brother-in-law of King Fuad, who is heading the Egyptian Red Cross to Abyssinia.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

ITALIAN DENIALS

Asamara, Oct 23.

Assertions that Italian planes had bombed open towns or used poison gas, are declared to be utterly untrue by the Italian Propaganda Minister, Count Ciano, who is at present accompanying the air fleet.

Ciano added that it had been always the endeavour of the Italians to spare the civil population of Abyssinia any undue fright. Moreover it is easy for the Italian airmen to recognise Abyssinian fighting forces which habitually camp outside inhabited areas.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

NOTHING TO REPORT

Rrome, Oct 23.

There is nothing to report on the two fronts. The population in the occupied territory have resumed their normal aspect, declares a telegram from General de Bono published as an official communique.

Official quarters maintain reserve as regards Sir Samuel Hoare's speech, but there is a feeling of relief that the Italians are more hopeful of a settlement being reached and sanctions being avoided.—*Reuter.*

THE BIG PUSH

Asmara, Oct. 22.

Many here believe that it will be the end of November before a big battle is fought on the northern front, failing a diplomatic move for settlement of the whole trouble meanwhile.

The Italian military staff is unaware of any Ethiopian concentration in the region of Ambaalagi, to the south of Makale, and believe concentration such as would be required if the Ethiopians seriously considered an offensive would take a month at least to complete, owing to the lack of communication and the absence of transport. The question of a food supply for a great army would have to be considered also, and there has been no sign of activity in this direction.

The Italian aerial reconnaissance, however, continues to be most active, and flying officers have located columns, presumed to be commanded by Ras Kassa, marching north from Addis Ababa to join Ras Seyoum's troops in the defence of Makale.

FORCES DISCOVERED

Further strong Ethiopian forces have been discovered near Gondar, beyond Takaze, but there are relatively few tribesmen near the Italian lines in Tigre province and no great resistance is expected before Makale.

Makale is admittedly the objective of the next Italian thrust from the north.

It is learned from Harrar that the southern front is at present calm, but it is reported that a number of Italian troops are being transferred from Eritrea to Italian Somaliland in preparation for the beginning of operations in Ogaden.—*Reuter*

GENERAL MOBILISATION

Addis Ababa, Oct. 22.

Ras Getata, governor of the province of Madshi near the Sudanese frontier, arrived here on Tuesday with thirty thousand men shortly after the army of Dedjas Abeba, Governor of the province of Gofa, had left the capital for the front.

Troops of the governor of the province of Wollega, Bidwoded Mokannens, numbering about thirty-five thousand men, are expected to reach here shortly, whereby the general mobilisation will be completed and a total of one million one hundred thousand men will be under colours.

It is expected that the entire army will have taken up all the strategic positions by the end of October. The Emperor personally examined some of the hand grenades which formed part of the most recent supply of war materials delivered here from abroad.

REPORTS FROM FRONT

Reports from the southern front state that Italians fliers had again dropped bombs in the region of the Webbe Shibeli river and that Italian patrols are reconnoitring under the cover of artillery fire. On the Northern front the concentration of Italian troops is reported in the south of Adowa while everything is stated to be quiet on the Setit river sector in the north-west corner of the Empire.

News of the defeat of Ras Ayela, who is commanding the troops operating between the Italian right wing and the Sudanese frontier has been confirmed in official quarters here who admit that the Abyssinian losses amount to several hundred killed and wounded. It is added that the Abyssinians attacked the Italian positions against the Emperor's orders and that Ras Ayela was unable to hold them back. An airplane has left the capital with a doctor on board, presumably to bring Ras Ayela, who was himself wounded, back to the capital.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SUEZ CANAL EARNINGS

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Paris, Oct 23.

The Suez Canal additional toll earnings through the transport of Italian troops and ammunitions to Eritrea for 20 days in October ammounted to 9,000,000 French francs.

The total year's receipts already amount to 710,000,000 francs as against 687,000,000 last year during the same period.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" BANNED

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Rome, Oct 23.

The "Daily Telegraph" which is considered here as Mr. Anthony Eden's mouthpiece, is forbidden throughout Italy from Tuesday. This measure is declared officially to have been necessitated by the increasing and tendacious campaign against Italy, and the incessant publication of alleged untruthful reports about Italy—*Transocean Kuo Min*

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PLANE LEAVES CROYDON

Kingsford-Smith's New Venture

London, Oct. 23.

Air Commodore Sir Charles Kintsford-Smith, accompanied by his co-pilot J. T. Pethybridge, took off from Croydon at 7 a.m. to-day in his plane Lady Southern Cross for Australia via Cairo, Baghdad and Singapore.

Sir Charles is not attempting a record flight, but with the capacity of his machine he is of opinion that it may be possible to reduce by a few hours the record of two days 23 hours established by G.W.A. Scott and Campbell Black in the Melbourne air race.—*Reuter.*

GAYDA'S APPEAL TO ITALIANS

Rome, Oct. 23.

In a special article to-day, Gayda appealed to the women of Italy not to buy foreign goods but concentrate their minds upon home products.

He also appealed to the people of Italy as a whole to return to the life of simplicity as lived by their forefathers, abjure all luxuries, and be sober, austere and dignified in all undertakings so that Italy should show the outside world that she could maintain her ancient dignity in face of all difficulties, however great.—*Reuter.*

WIRELESS PHONE

Shanghai, Oct. 23.

The Ministry of Communications has announced that the Sino-Japanese wireless telephone service will be open to the public on February 15 at a cost of Yen 15 for a three minute call.—*Reuter.*

CONFERENCE IN LONDON

Naval Limitation Attempt

London Oct 23.

Although no invitations have yet been issued it is probable that a naval conference will be held in London before the end of the year to attempt to reach a new naval limitation agreement to take the place of the Washington and London Treaties which expire at the end of next year.

In anticipation of such a conference which is provided for under these treaties the powers which are parties to them have been consulted during recent months and considerable progress has been made.

In well-informed quarters the hope is expressed that if difficulties in the way of agreement upon quantitative limitation should prove insuperable, useful work may be done by the new conference by agreeing upon qualitative limitations.

The powers participating in the conference would be Britain, United States, Japan, France and Italy.—*British Wireless.*

COLLISION NEAR MOUTH OF SUEZ CANAL

British Freighter And Italian Troopship

Port Said, Oct. 23.

A collision occurred here near the mouth of the Suez Canal between a British freighter, the British Workman, and the Italian troopship Belvedere which was carrying a number of troops bound for East Africa.

Fortunately the damage was superficial and both vessels were able to proceed on their way.—*Reuter.*

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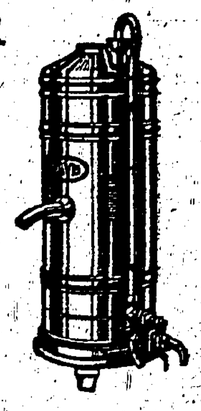

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HOME FOOTBALL FORECASTS

(BY FORWARD)

There will be a full programme of matches for Saturday and with teams turning out their best, keen play should be witnessed. The teams in large type are tipped to win.

DIVISION I.

	Mileage			Results 1932-3	1933-4	1934-5
ARSENAL	213	v.	Preston N.E.	—	—	5—3
BIRMINGHAM	130	v.	Portsmouth	4—0	3—1	2—1
BLACKBURN R.	34	v.	Everton	3—1	1—1	6—2
CHELSEA	199	v.	Bolton W.	1—1	—	—
Grimsby T.	122	v.	MIDDLESBORO'	—	—	2—2
LEEDS U.	109	v.	Aston Villa	1—1	2—4	1—1
Liverpool	61	v.	Huddersfield T.	2—2	2—2	3—2
MANCHESTER C.	175	v.	Brentford	—	—	—
STOKE C.	34	v.	Derby C.	—	0—4	1—1
SUNDERLAND	115	v.	Sheffield W.	1—2	4—0	2—2
W. BROMWICH A.	9	v.	Wolves	4—1	2—0	5—2

DIVISION II.

BLACKPOOL	120	v.	Hull C.	—	0—0	2—1
Bradford	34	v.	M'CHESTER U.	1—1	6—1	1—2
BURY	260	v.	Plymouth	2—1	4—0	2—1
DONCASTER R.	16	v.	Barnsley	3—1	4—4	—
LEICESTER C.	103	v.	Tottenham H.	—	1—3	6—0
Norwich C.	180	v.	Burnley	—	—	2—3
NOTTS FOREST	60	v.	Charlton A.	0—1	—	—
SHEFFIELD U.	35	v.	Port Vale	—	—	3—0
SOUTHAMPTON	70	v.	Fulham	2—2	2—0	1—1
Swansea T.	240	v.	NEWCASTLE U.	—	—	3—4
WEST HAM U.	190	v.	Bradford C.	2—4	1—2	1—0

DIVISION III. (NORTH)

CARLISLE U.	90	v.	Accrington S.	2—2	3—0	2—0
DARLINGTON	110	v.	New Brighton	2—1	1—0	1—0
Gateshead	117	v.	CHESTERFIELD	—	2—1	1—4
HALIFAX T.	65	v.	Barrow	2—0	4—1	2—1
HARTLEPOOLS U.	105	v.	Southport	4—2	1—2	4—1
Mansfield T.	75	v.	CHESTER	1—0	2—1	1—1
OLDHAM ATH.	55	v.	York City	—	—	—
ROTHERHAM U.	35	v.	Lincoln C.	—	—	5—0
TRANMERE R.	35	v.	Stockport	2—2	1—1	3—1
WALSALL	45	v.	Crewe Alex.	2—1	5—1	4—0
WREXHAM	65	v.	Rochdale	4—1	4—1	2—0

DIVISION III. (SOUTH)

Aldershot	25	v.	READING	4—4	3—0	2—5
BRIGHTON	155	v.	Notts County	—	—	—
BRISTOL C.	150	v.	Southend U.	5—1	5—1	2—0
COVENTRY C.	115	v.	Gillingham	4—2	7—1	4—0
Exeter C.	165	v.	LUTON T.	2—0	4—2	1—2
MILLWALL	65	v.	Northampton	—	—	0—1
NEWPORT C.	85	v.	Bournemouth	1—1	1—1	6—1
QUEEN'S PARK R.	115	v.	Bristol R.	1—1	1—0	2—0
SWINDON T.	65	v.	Cardiff C.	6—2	6—3	2—1
TORQUAY U.	175	v.	Crystal Palace	2—1	2—1	7—1
WATFORD	15	v.	Clapton O.	1—1	6—0	5—0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE (DIVISION I.)

AIRDRIE	v.	Third Lanark	1—2	1—2	—
Airbroath	v.	Dunfermline	1—4	3—2	—
Clyde	v.	RANGERS	0—5	1—6	2—1
DUNDEE	v.	Ayr	1—0	2—1	5—4
HEARTS	v.	Albion Rovers	—	—	4—0
Kilmarnock	v.	ABERDEEN	4—3	2—0	1—3
MOTHERWELL	v.	Celtic	4—2	1—1	1—0
PARTICK	v.	Hibernians	—	3—2	3—1
QUEEN'S PARK	v.	St. Johnstone	3—3	1—0	2—1
QUEEN OF SOUTH	v.	Hamilton	—	3—1	4—1

HOCKEY

In a fast and clean hockey game at the Shamshuipo ground yesterday, the Lincolns trounced the Hong Kong Brigade of the H.K.S.R.A. to the tune of 5 goals to 1.

The Lincolns were superior in all departments of the game and they scored three times in the first half through Harrison and Reeks, the latter scoring two.

At the resumption they scored again through Driver, and this was followed with another from Taylor after a smart movement by the forwards.

CLUB WINS

The Hong Kong Hockey Club beat the Y.M.C.A. by three goals to one in their hockey match played at King's Park yesterday.

The game throughout was scrappy with the losers making great efforts to reduce the deficit. The Y.M.C.A. were two goals to the bad at half time, N. A. E. Mackay and Divett having scored for the Club.

In the second half Divett scored the third goal for the Club. The efforts of the Y.M.C.A. were rewarded at last when shortly before the finish S. Fowler scored for them from a very difficult angle.

WORLD CHESS TITLE BATTLE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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The Hague, Oct. 23.

After the eighth game for the world chess championship was won by Euwe at the end of a eight-hour tussle, Alekhine succeeded in avenging his defea in the ninth game, when Euwe was forced to give up at the fortieth move.

The score now reads, Alekhine five wins, Euwe two, and two drawn. The next game taken place at Gouda on Thursday.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

ROWING REGATTA

Hong Kong Area Function

The Annual Area Rowing Regatta for service gigs will take place on Monday October 28 (Heats) and Tuesday, October 29 (Finals).

The following three trophies are competed for:—

Brown Cup:—2000 Yds.: Small Units First Crews.

Ah King Cup:—2000 Yds: Small Units Second Crews.

Chaplains Cup:—1000 Yds.: Small Units Novices Crews.

The present holders of the trophies are:—

Brown Cup, Ah King Cup, and Chaplains Cup: 1st Bn. The Lincolnshire Regiment.

The starts will be in the direction of Lai Chi Kok and the finish off Stonecutters East Pier.

Time Table for Final Day (October 29):—

10.00 a.m.—Ah King Cup (Final).
10.30 a.m.—Chaplains Cup (Final).
11.15 a.m.—Brown Cup (Final).
11.45 a.m. (approx.).—Prize Giving.

Mrs. Thackeray (wife of the G.O.C.) has kindly consented to give away the prizes.

At the conclusion the Officers of the Royal Artillery will be "At Home."

A launch for Press representatives will be leaving Queen's Pier at 9 a.m.

FOOTBALL

The Hong Kong Football Club will be meeting the Police, leaders of the First Division of the local League, on Saturday on the Club Ground at Happy Valley, the kick off being timed for 4.30 p.m.

The following have been selected to represent the Club:

Rodger (capt); Hill and Strange; Skinner, Gilchrist and Nicholls; Fowler, Farrow, Ellio', Williams and Bickford.

ARMY TENNIS

Staff Sergt. Warr's Success

In the final of the Army Single Championship which was played at the Area Sports ground, Sookunpo yesterday, Staff Sgt. Warr beat Sgt. Wilson 6—3, 6—4.

The game was very exciting throughout, with Warr being always the better player. By his good-length drives he managed to keep Wilson at the baseline most of the time, and usually finished off with a nice cross court shot.

Wilson indulged too much in the "chop shot", which often gave his opponent the opportunity of bringing off a nice forehand drive.

Staff Sgt. Warr is a very steady player with a hard forehand drive; he has played quite a lot of tennis at Home and was in the semi-finals of the Army Championship in England.

LAWN BOWLS

Masons At Play

For the first time the English and Scottish Constitutions of Free Masons in Hong Kong, are to meet in a lawn bowls match for a Cup kindly presented by Mr. J. Owen Hughes for annual competition.

The match is to be played on the Hong Kong Football Club Green on Sunday, November 3, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

The following six rinks have been selected to represent the English Constitution:

B. E. Maughan, J. Owen Hughes, J. Bendley and J. C. Bonnar (skip);

E. B. Reed, W. Ward, E. G. Post and W. E. Hollands (skip);

G. Stephens, C. E. Moore, E. Tuck and A. Brooksbank (skip);

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T. Armstrong, W. Geall, A. F. Paul and T. Carr (skip).

J. Smith, E. I. Wynne-Jones, H. Westlake and A. W. Grimmitt (skip).

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL FINAL

The final of the Public Works Department Inter-Departmental Lawn Bowls Competition for the Sutton Shield is to be played on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. on the Kowloon B.G.C. green between Crown Lands and Waterworks Departments.

The following are the two rinks:

Crown Lands	Waterworks
J. Chambers	J. A. Bendall
E. B. Reed	J. S. Dinnen
W. C. Simpson	C. J. Tacchi
W. E. Hollands (skip)	H. H. Rose (skip)

WOMAN SAILOR

Back To Australia In A Grain Ship

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

Mrs. Douglas Duff, a young London woman who served before the mast as an ordinary seaman aboard the Finnish four-masted barque Ponape on its voyage from Australia to England this summer, left Deal beach this morning to board the Ponape for Australia. This time she is an apprentice.

Mrs. Duff is the widow of Major Douglas Duff, of the 9th Lancers. She said to me to-day, writes a correspondent

"The Ponape sailed from Port Lincoln, South Australia. After a voyage round Cape Horn, which lasted 18 weeks, we docked our cargo of grain at London on Aug. 14 last.

"I love all kinds of sport, but the sea most of all. While the Ponape has been windbound off Deal for the past two weeks I have been visiting my mother, Mrs. Reynolds Teyton, at her home at Folkestone. But during this time I have frequently visited the sailing ship.

"For a change I have flown over it just to see what it looks like from the air. I hold an air pilot's A certificate.

"When I am abroad I am an ordinary member of the crew. If it is my job to go aloft I go.

"I understand that this time we sail northward around Scotland, and then on an eastward voyage via the Cape of Good Hope to Australia. We hope to be there in time for Christmas."

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were taken at the gallops at Happy Valley yesterday morning:—

	Distance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	Last Qr.
Touchstone	¾	41	1.18.1	1.49.4			31.3
Sci-Fa	¾	41	1.18.1	1.49.4			31.3
Shooting Star	¾	37.1	1.11.1	1.41			29.4
Philanderer	¾	37.2	1.12	1.43.1			31.1
Rose Queen	1¼	41.4	1.21	1.57	2.29.4	3.01.1	31.2
Popular Star	¾	38	1.14	1.45			31
Lucky Strike	1	46	1.28.4	2.07.1	2.40		32.4
Solar Star	¾	38.3	1.13.1	1.46.2			33.1
Soldier of Victory	1	40	1.21.2	2.00.1	2.34.4		34.3
Bobniak Star	1	44	1.27.3	2.07	2.37.4		30.4
Mayflower	¾	47.1	1.29.4	2.04.4			35
Soldier of China	¾	42.3	1.21.2	1.52.1			30.4
Cold Morning	1	35.2	1.10.3	1.44.3	2.15.4		31.1
Rousseau	1	40.2	1.15.4	1.50	2.24.3		34.3
Iron Grey	¾	35.3	1.09.1	1.41			31.4
Twenty Grand	1	43	1.25	2.05	2.38		33
Double Chance	1	43	1.24	2.03	2.36		33
Night Star	1	38.4	1.15.3	1.51	2.22.1		31.1
Beginner's Luck	1	36	1.10.1	1.43.4	2.17.1		33.2
Heart's Glory	¾	42.1	1.18.3	1.52.1			33.3
Limelight	1	39	1.15.1	1.50.4	2.23.3		32.4
King's Jubilee and Wadebridge	¾	47.3	1.27.1	1.58			30.4
Belmont Star	1	40	1.14.3	1.49.1	2.21.4		32.3
Festival Eve	¾	34.4	1.09.3	1.43			33.2
Zero	1	38	1.15	1.50.2	2.21.2		31
Gold Coin	1	43.4	1.24.1	2.00.2	2.32.2		32
Cavalcade	1	39	1.16.3	1.50	2.21		31
Racing Boy	1	38.3	1.14.1	1.50.4	2.23.1		32.2
Winkfield	1	33.4	1.09.1	1.46.1	2.21.4		35.3
Tillicum	¾	41.4	1.20.3	1.53.1			32.3
Sylvandale	¾	40	1.19	1.54.2			35.2
Tiny Star	1	37.3	1.14	1.50	2.23.3		33.3
High Honour	1	41.4	1.19	1.55	2.25.1		30.1
Partnership	1	41.1	1.20.3	1.57.2	2.23.3		36.1
Gold Bullion	¾	38.4	1.14	1.46.2			32.2
17th of September	¾	43.3	1.20.4	1.53			32.1
Young Chap	¾	37.2	1.12.2	1.43.4			31.2
King's Parade	¾	46	1.23.4	1.55.1			31.2
Victoria Hall	1	38	1.14.4	1.49.2	2.20		30.3
The Tiger	¾	41.1	1.14.4	1.46.1			31.2
Blacksmith and Mersey	1	40.1	1.17.2	1.51.4	2.23.1		31.2
Soldier of Germany	1	45	1.25.3	2.02.4	2.35.3		32.4

ADOLF KIEFER SETS NEW RECORD

Crefeld, Oct. 23.

The world's record for backstroke swimming which was established in Berlin on Sunday by the United States swimmer, Adolf Kiefer, who covered the distance of 100 metres in 1 min. 7 seconds, was lowered again by the same swimmer on Tuesday when he covered the same distance in 1 min. 6 2/5 secs.

ALL BLACKS WIN

London, Oct. 22.

The "All Blacks" were engaged in a rugger match against Llanelly to-day. New Zealand won by 16 points to 8.—*Reuter.*

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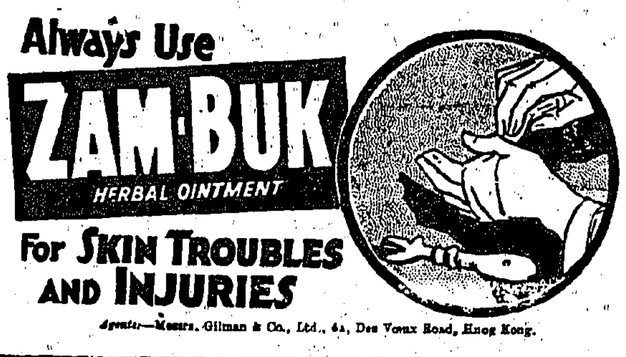

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THE CRIMINAL SESSIONS

Murder Case Adjourned Till This Morning

Harbouring a grudge that they had been deprived of their lands by a stranger who had obtained possession from the Crown, a gang of 14 men hatched a plot in which the new possessor was to be dealt with by them. This resulted in the appearance of four men, Pun Kam Choi, Ho Wah, Ho Yau and Lau Cheung before the chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor at the Criminal Sessions yesterday on a charge of the murder of Au Wan Fai at Chukowan Village, Lantau Island on September 1 last year. Another man named Pun Tak who was also indicted for the same offence was not present in Court due to illness.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith the Assistant Crown Solicitor appeared for the Crown while Messrs. H. C. Macnamara and Harold Lee instructed by Messrs. Dennys and Co., represented the accused.

The following jury were empanelled to her the case: Messrs: F. Goodwin (Foreman), W. Robertson, G. Castle, C. A. Coelho, Wong Tse Kwong, Chau Lok Chow and J. O. Sequeria.

After the jury had been chosen His Lordship warned them that if any one of them had any qualms about death sentence being passed he was to say so then so that they might be exempted to sit and a new jury found. No objection was forthcoming.

THE FACTS

In setting forth the facts, before the Court Mr. Lockhart-Smith stated that the accused were all members of a gang of 14 men who murdered the deceased on September 1, last year. The deceased lived with his wife, his son and two daughters in three matsheds in lower Chukowan village, Lantau Island.

Sometime in 1932, the deceased came over to the village from the island of Capsuimun. Having established himself here, he thought it a good idea to have his family over. He did so and later he and his son applied to the District Officer (South) for a permit for an area of land in the village. When he first arrived at the place, there were five squatters and their families. They were not legal tenants, and the deceased and his son applied for a permit for that area. They succeeded in obtaining the permit for this area and also two other areas of land to the north and north-west of the place where the squatters were.

EVICTED

As a result of this manoeuvre, the original inhabitants had to leave the place. They alleged that deceased asked them to pay rent, and, on their refusal to do so, he evicted them from their huts

On the day of the murder, the son of the dead man was about to be married. The deceased and his wife had accumulated a sum of about $400 to $500 for the ceremony and that money had been stolen. But the ill-feeling among the villagers was undoubtedly due to deceased having acquired the land.

THE PLOT

Counsel then went on to refer to the plot to murder the deceased. The first thing the Crown knew of this was about ten days before the murder when the four accused, together with two others not in custody, were seen discussing the matter at the tea house in Ping Shan. The third accused was heard to offer five dollars for the murder of the deceased, while the fourth defendant offered three dollars.

About 5 p.m. on the day of the murder, four men—the second accused and three others not in custody—went to deceased's hut, ostensibly for a visit. The deceased and his family were in the hut at the time. After they had conversed on general matters for quite a long time, the deceased, who was a man of about 60 years of age, suggested going to sleep and invited one of the four men to go over to his hut which he occupied by himself. Two of the other four men then went out of the hut together with deceased's son, while the other remained with the dead man's wife and the two daughters.

They remained there for some time when suddenly one of the men was heard shouting out "Woo!" Immediately afterwards ten men and boys appeared on the hillside, shouting "Tai" (strike). The son was then attacked by his two companions, but he managed to escape by diving into the sea. He landed in a place nearby and proceeded to Hong Kong where he reported the matter to the police.

WIDOW'S EVIDENCE

Yip Choi widow of the deceased gave evidence corroborating the Crown's opening and then went on to describe the attack.

Cross-examined by Mr. Macnamara witness affirmed that a moon was shining at the time of the attack and questioned as regards the weather and the wind velocity, she stated that it gained in intensity as the night went on. Questioned further witness reaffirmed her previous statement that she actually saw Li Tung Kwai assaulting her late husband and that the blood which was on the quilt might have been made from the wounds inflicted by that man.

THE SIGNAL

Questioned about the signal witness said that as soon as the "howl" was given the rest of the men rushed the hut and everything was so apparent that that must have been a prearranged signal. At this stage Mr. Macnamara warned the witness that what she was going to say will be of great importance to the defence because she was the only eye witness of the crime. Witness replied that whether it was important or not she was telling the truth.

THE ARRESTS

Acting Sub Inspector Darkin, officer in charge of Cheung Chau Police Station, stated that on September 2, last year, he received a report from the Water Police station regarding the crime and went to the scene. There he was given information and he made investigations at the nearest villages. He was brought to the Pataukoo village by the deceased's son and there several huts were pointed to him but there were no traces of the persons named.

Mr. Harold Lee cross examined this witness who when shown a hook replied that he could not say whether the wounds were made by that instrument. The names of the people who were concerned in the crime were given to him by the deceased's son. He had no definite knowledge who the men were as he had never seen them before.

The case was then adjourned till this morning.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S CAR ESCAPE

Vehicle On Edge Of Precipice

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 10.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt came within an ace of being pitched from a narrow monutain track into a rocky valley hundreds of feet below, when their chauffeur took a wrong turning in the mountains of Nevada.

For seven miles the driver went along a road under construction which has not yet been opened to traffic

Members of the Presidential party were horrified to see that only a few inches of crumbling gravel separated the President from destruction.

By what strange mischance the drive was taken without the elaborate precautions which normally precede every move made by the President is still a mystery. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt were on their way to visit a civilian conservation corps camp, 30 miles from Las Vegas, accompanied by Mr. Harry Hopkins, the works progress administrator, and Senator Pittman.

ENGINE FAILS THREE TIMES

The old touring car in which they were travelling led a procession through the cactus-strewn desert to the mountains. Members of the White House secretarial staff, secret service men, and reporters followed in nine other cars.

Apparently nobody knew the country well enough to realise that the driver of the President's car had made a mistake when he turned on to an unpaved road recently scooped from the hillside 9,000ft above sea-level.

For miles the cars twisted round hairpin bends where fences had not been erected to protect motorists from falling over the steep precipices. Three times the engine of the President's car stalled on the steep grades.

When it was realised what had happened the cars were faced with a new dangers, as there was practically no room to turn round. It took nearly half an hour for the President's car to do this.

Throughout the operation Mr. Roosevelt smoked cigarettes and made jokes. He was the only person present who did not appear to mind the predicament

GOLD REEF ON THE RAND

10,000 Feet Below Surface

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Sept. 28.

The existence of a great new gold reef, at a depth of 10,000ft, and running the full extent of the present reef along the Witwatersrand, is announced by Mr. Hans Pirow, the South African Government mining engineer and brother of Mr. Oswald Pirow, Minister of Defence.

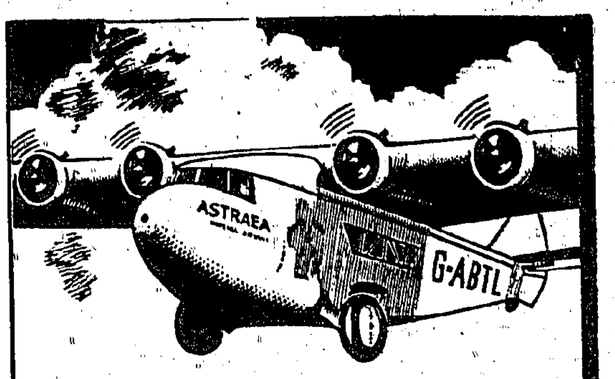
He estimated the value of the gold in the newly discovered reef which is 2,500ft below the deepest mine now being worked on the Rand, at £280,000,000.

The Witwatersrand is already the world's greatest goldfield. It stretches over several hundreds of miles. The gold bearing area, however, is confined to a string of mines forming the rim of the basin for about 70 miles from Randfontein to the Sub Nigel, near Heidelberg.

The new reef, according to Mr. Pirow, is capable of yielding 200,000,000 tons of ore.

Hitherto it has not been possible to work mines below 7,500ft—the depth of Village Deep. The temperature, and the humidity make conditions impossible. Village Deep had a special cooling system introduced last year.

Recent researches, however, have proved that it will be possible shortly to sink shafts to 10,000ft—the depth at which, according to the geological formation, the new reef lies.



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	...	...	£106½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	$104½
...	...	...	£13¼	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£13¼
...	...	...	£28½	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£28½
...	...	...	£12¾	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£ 2¾
...	...	...	$80	Bank of East Asia	$82	...	...	...
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$10	...	...	...	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$12
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(Through Reuter's Agency)

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Cotton, May	10.81	—	10.88	10.95	10.99
Rubber, December	12.92	—	13.04	13.08	13.08
Chicago Wheat, December	101	—	—	100¼	100⅞
Chicago Wheat, May	100⅛	—	—	99⅞	99⅞
Corn, December	60¾	—	—	61⅜	61⅞
Corn, May	59⅞	—	—	60¼	60¼
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Anacona Copper	20¼	—	20⅞	20⅞	20½
Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	30⅞	30⅞	30⅞	30¼	30
El. Bond and Share	15½	15½	15½	15½	15½
General Motors	51½	51	51½	50⅞	50⅞
Int. Tel. and Tel.	10½	10½	10⅞	10⅞	10½
Loew's Inc.	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
Montgomery W.	32⅞	—	32⅞	32⅞	32⅞
N.Y. Central	23⅞	22⅞	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	47	47½	47⅞	47⅞	48
U.S. Steel	46⅞	46⅞	46⅞	47	46¼

New York Stock Exchange Quotations appear on Page 4.

ARMS FOUND ON STEAMER

Arab Population Excited

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Jerusalem, Oct 22.

Considerable excitement has been caused among the Arab population by the news that several hundred Mauser pistols as well as great quantities of ammunition has been discovered hidden in barrels of cement on board the steamer 'Leopold II' which was charted by a Jewish concern in Telaviv.

The discovery was made accidentally while the steamer was unloading the barrels containing the contraband at Jaffa. The consignee of the camouflaged arms shipment was a Jewish merchant named Kattau, who in the meanwhile has vanished from the scene.

The Arab press asserts that the shipment was obviously destined for the semi-military organisations in Palestine, whose existence has always been denied by the Jews. A memorandum setting forth the Arab demands for preventive measures against alleged Jewish aggression, has been handed in by the Arab leaders to the British authorities.

The memorandum requests the British authorities to confiscate all the arms in possession of the Jews, and to strengthen the police forces on the coast and at the frontiers, in order to prevent illegal Jewish immigration, and to replace Jewish customs officials by Arabs or Britons.

A general strike has been proclaimed by the Arab leaders for next Saturday, the strike to extend to all communications as well as to the entire business life, and all professions including doctors, teachers and lawyers. Since Saturday is also the weekly Jewish holiday it is feared that the strike may lead to serious disorders.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

PRATAS TRAGEDY RECALLED

London, Oct. 22.

H.M.S. Suffolk has won a decoration from the Board of Trade—in the form of a piece of plate.

The presentation was made today in recognition of the splendid rescue carried out by seamen of cruiser when the City of Cambridge was pounding to pieces on Pratas Reef in October last year.

She went aground during a voyage from New York to Hong Kong and was given up a total loss.

The Suffolk's rescue work took several days and was handicapped by heavy weather. Finally ship's boats got in the lea of the reef and seamen waded through the shallows to a point close to the stranded vessel's side, and dragged their boats after them. Not a life was lost.—*Reuter.*

CLOSING PORTS TO ITALY

Others To Follow Example

London, Oct. 22.

It is anticipated here that the British Dominions and France will adopt a similar attitude to Great Britain in the application of the neutrality laws.

That is to say, these nations will close their ports to Italian warships, troop carriers, or vessels engaged in moving war supplies or foodstuffs for the troops, after such ships have been in their waters for twenty-four hours. In effect this means that Italian ships must do their business in neutral ports in twenty-four hours, and be off.

AMERICAN STAND

Washington, Oct. 22.

While recognising that the United States is a party to the 1907 Hague Neutrality Convention, State Department officials indicate that there is little immediate possibility of America following Britain in applying the terms of the convention to Italy and Ethiopia.

Observers believe that since the United States is so far removed from the theatre of war there is little likelihood that the Government will even consider applying the Hague rules to its own policy of neutrality, unless the conflict spreads outside of Africa.—*Reuter.*

PASSENGERS

S.S. ANTENOR

The following passengers departed from Hong Kong by the s.s. "Antenor" yesterday for the United Kingdom via ports:—

Mr. F. Benoist, Miss N. A. Bowen, Mr. H. Bough, Mrs. Bough, Miss L. Bough, Captain H. R. Brownlow, Miss M. F. Cochrane, Mr. A. Corbet, Mrs. Corbet, Mr. L. F. Dullam, Mrs. H. C. Eustace, Miss M. J. Eustace, Master D. Eustace, Master R. G. Eustace, Hon. Mrs. G. Fraser and infant, Mrs. J. B. Gurnhill, Mr. Teo Chip Heck, Mrs. A. M. Halley, Mr. W. Hedinger, Mrs. Hedinger, Captain H. R. Hicks, Mrs. Hicks, Miss Lacey, Mrs. J. F. Lobel, Master J. A. Lobel, Mr. L. A. C. Lidwell, Mrs. Lidwell, Miss P. M. Lidwell, Mr. J. E. C. Mitchell, Mr. C. M. Poulsen, Mrs. A. B. Purves, Miss M. Purves, Mrs. H. F. Stoneham, Mr. Hsiang Ta, Captain N. J. Tsuras, Miss K. Wood, Mr. C. E. Whitamore, Mrs. Whitamore, Master J. A. Whitamore.

PRESIDENT TAFT

The following passengers left Hong Kong for New York and San Francisco via Ports on s.s. "President Taft" yesterday:—

Mr. and Mrs. N. Holmsen, Mr. S. W. Addison, Mr. Carlos Rivera, Mr. A. Van Bijnen, Miss Joanne Kyger, Mrs. M. Eichwald, Miss Aurgan, Miss Grace Powers, Mr. J. L. Steel, Mr. J. E. Horton, Mr. J. Sturder, Mrs. Daniel Filer, Mr. R. J. Oldfield, Mrs. L. W. Walkinshaw, Mr. W. F. Stickman, Master M. Eichwald, Sister Mary Cecilia, Mrs. A. Baffel, Mr. F. A. Nawachi, Mrs. Petex Studer, Mr. L. H. G. Frost, Miss Marguerite B. Filer, Mr. C. Russell Deibler, Mrs. J. H. Kyger, Dr. M. Eichwald, Dr. and Mrs. Auregan, Sister Mary Cecile.

STEAMER CARGO ON FIRE

Singapore Harbour Outbreak

Singapore, Oct. 15.

Twenty-five tons of water were pumped into the hold of the cargo steamer Ceylon, of the Swedish East Asiatic Company, when fire broke out amidst her cargo in Singapore harbour yesterday morning.

The 5,200 tons vessels was moving across the southern end of the breakwater while membrs of the crew, and later the fire-float Klip-Klip, fought the outbreak. It was controlled in less than an hour.

The Ceylon arrived in part from Oslo, European and North African ports on Sunday and anchored in the Outer Roads to coal.

At daylight yesterday a pilot boarded her and she weighed anchor to go alongside East Wharf, Tanjong Pagar, to discharge 12 cases of matches and several tons of paper reels for Singapore.

SMOKE THROUGH THE HATCH

Before she reached the docks sailors who were washing her decks saw smoke issuing from the small centre bunker hatch on the starboard side.

"By that time the main deck amidships had become so hot that the water used for washing was near boiling," declared Mr. Magnesson, the Ceylon's chief officer, afterwards. "The flooring in my cabin forward was warped by the heat and my shoes started standing up at an angle."

The bunker hatch was quickly thrown open, and five sailors under the supervision of the chief officer and chief engineer went down with two hoses connected with the ship's pumps. They encountered strong smoke below and had little room to move about in as the cargo which had been stowed in the centre bunker reached almost to the beams. But they stuck it out.

"N.S." SIGNAL

Meanwhile, Captain S. Torssell, her master, gave the order to fly the signal "N.S." (meaning, "I am afire in bunkers"), which was picked up by Fort Canning Signal Station.

The Marine Department and Singapore Harbour Board were notified in turn, with the result that the firefloat Klip-Klip was despatched to the Ceylon from her berth in th East Lagoon.

By the time the Klip-Klip had made fast to the starboard side of the Ceylon and the firefighters boarded her by ladders, the ship's crew had pumped tons of water into the bunker hold; but the cargo was still smouldering.

The Klip-Klip therefore sent two men down with smoke helmets electric torches and a hose, and stood by until the outbreak was wholly subdued.

The Ceylon then weighed anchor once again and went alongside Godown No. 22 at 10 a.m.

Throughout yesterday cargo was discharged from No. 3 hold, which adjoins the centre bunker next to the engine room, and will be surveyed on the wharf to-day.

It is thought that the cargo that took fire is scrap metal from Finland packed in cases and destined for Japan then lying at the bottom of the hold.

On top of this were several tons of paper for Singapore. Twelve cases of matches for local consignees were carried in No. 2 Hold, which is further forward.

The damage to the cargo is believed to be small and that to the ship negligible. No reason has as yet been advanced for the outbreak.

There were four passengers on board the Ceylon at the time of the fire, among them two women who disembarked at Singapore, while the crew numbers 39.

The Ceylon is a unit of the fleet of 11 vessels owned by the Swedish East Asiatic Company, of Gothenburg, engaged in the Far Eastern trade. She was built in 1911 as a sister ship to the s.s. Japan.

Her bunker capacity is 850 tons.

Owing to the fire she will sail for Manila, China and Japan to-night being delayed by 24 hours.

ROME CONVERSATION

Rome, Oct. 22.

Sir Eric Drummond, the British Ambassador to Italy, had another hour's conversation with Signor Fulvio Suvich, the Italian Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs today.

This is generally regarded a hopeful sign, though nothing official regarding the nature of the talk was obtainable.—*Reuter*

SHOES FOR ITALY

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Warsaw, Oct. 22.

Orders for 300,000 pairs of shoes for the army, which Italy attempted to place with the Polish factories during the second half of September, has been refused because, according to a report just issued by the Warsaw Chamber of Commerce, orders were unexecutable owing to the shortage of raw leather, the Polish tanners having already exported to Italy their entire stocks of tanned hides.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

INCENDIARISM CHARGES

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Brussels, Oct 22.

The investigations conducted by the fire insurance companies into the origin of the three big fires which broke out within the last two months in the amusement park of the Brussels World Fair led to the arrest, on Tuesday, of the two lessees of the restaurant, "Bella Napoli" on charges of incendiarism.

Other arrests will probably follow since a considerable number of people are believed to be involved in the affair.—*Transocean Kuo Min*

WINTER IN GERMANY

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Berlin, Oct 22.

Germany experienced last night the first touch of wintry weather, snow having fallen over wide areas in the mountainous regions. In the Wendelstein mountains the snow was fifteen inches deep with the temperature hovering just about freezing point.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

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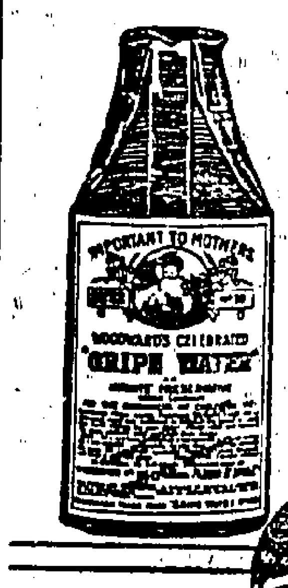

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Hong Kong Banks, $1040.
Canton Insurances, $180.
Union Insurances, $395.
H.K. Fire Insurances, $180.
Indo-Chinas (def.), $10.
Providents (old), 50 cts.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. $5¾.
Hotels, $3.
H.K. Lands, $25.
Humphreys, $7.60.
Star Ferries, $78.
China Lights, $8.10.
Electrics, $52¾.
Telephones (old), $17.80
H.K. Ropes, $1.90.
Watsons, $3.15.
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SELLERS

Underwriters, $1.10.
Hotels, $3.10.
China Lights, $8.20.
Sandakan Lights, $3.
Telephones (new), $6¼.
Constructions (new), 25 cts.

SALES

Hong Kong Banks, $1040.
H.K. Lands, $25.
H.K. Trams, $10.65.
Telephones (old), $18.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS

Wednesday, Oct. 23.

The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday but the Forward rate dropped 1/16, the quotations being 29 5/16 for Ready and 29¼ for Forward. Advices reported India and China sold. America bought. The market closed steady.

In America the rate was unchanged at 65⅞ for spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was slightly higher at 4.91⅞ and the New York/London rate rose 1/4 to 4.91⅞.

Market

Opened easy but subsequently weakened owing to a good demand. Later the market re-acted to a certain extent but towards the close buyers were again in evidence closing a shade easier.

Sterling

Opened with sellers at 1/11¼, buyers bidding 1/11⅛, at which rate, a small business was reported for the near delivery. The buying rate then receded to 1/11 13/16 1/11⅞ with business done at both these rates followed by a small transaction at 1/11⅞ for November delivery. The market then reacted and business was done at 1/11 11/16 for December, 1/11⅞ for cash and November and 1/11 13/16 for near and forward. The market closed a shade easier with buyers at 1/11 13/16 for near and forward, sellers at 1/11⅞ for near and probably forward.

U.S. Dollars

Opened with sellers at 48⅝, buyers bidding 48⅞. Subsequently business was reported at 48⅝ for near delivery. The market closed with sellers at 48⅝ for spot and 48 11/16 for forward, buyers at 48⅞ for near and 48 11/16 for forward.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers were quoted at 139¼ for cash.

Shanghai Market

Opened easy with sellers at 1/5⅝ for spot. Subsequently the market weakened to 1/4 13/16 for near delivery. The market then reacted towards the close finishing with sellers at 1/4 15/16 for spot. Uncertain. U. S. Dollars—opened with sellers at 35 1/16 and then weakened to 34⅝ for spot. The market closed with sellers at 34 11/16 for spot.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

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Berlin, Oct. 22.

(Reichmark quotations without guarantee).

New York	40.22
Paris	610.5
Amsterdam	59.275
London	12.21
Paris Sterling	74.48
Dollar	15.17½

—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	October 19.	October 21.
Paris	9/16	74 33/64
Geneva	15.10	15.10
Berlin	12.21½	12.21½
Athens		
Milan	60½	60 9/16
Shanghai	1/5⅞	1/5⅞
New York	4.91 7/16	4.91 3/16
Amsterdam	7.24⅞	7.23½
Vienna		
Prague	118¾	118⅞
Bucharest		
Madrid	36	
Lisbon		
Hong Kong		2/-¼
Brussels	29.21	29.20
Montevideo		39¾ S.O.
Belgrade		215
Montreal	4.90¾	4.98½
Yokohama	1/2 3/64	
Helsingfors		
Rio		
Buenos Aires		
Silver (Spot		29 5/16
Silver (forward)	29 5/16	29 5/16
War Loan		3½% 104½

Closing Quotations

October 23, 1935.

On London:—
Telegraphic Transfer... } 1/11⅞
Bank Bills, on demand }
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight 1/11⅞
Credits, four months' sight 2/-⅛
On Shanghai:—
On Demand 36⅛
On Singapore:—
On demand 1/-⅛
On Japan:—
On demand 1/-⅞
On India:—
Telegraphic Transfer... } 13⅛
Bank, on demand..... }
On New York:—
Bank Bills, on demand 48⅝
Credits, 60 days' sight 49⅛
On Batavia:—
On demand 71⅛
On Paris:—
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THE WOOLLEN INDUSTRY

Nanking (By Mail).

An expansion of the municipal-owned woollen textile factory, an organization of a woollen textile co-operative, and the opening of a woollen goods store to push the sale of local-made woollen goods constitute the paramount features of a plan of the Nanking Municipal Government to improve the woollen textile industry in the capital.

In this regard, a project of co-operation has been drawn up between the city authorities and the University of Nanking whereby the former will bear the financial responsibility for the development of the industry while the latter will lend its help along technical lines.

TRAINING CLASSES

Encouraged by the results of the textile training class held under the joint auspices of the municipal government and the university, which was graduated last month, the two organizations have decided to continue opening the class.

A total of $2,000 has been appropriated from the municipal treasury for the continuance of the class. While the class will be conducted by the university as previously, technical staff members of various government organs will be selected by the municipal government and assigned to the class to be trained in the textile art. The new class is expected to be opened early next month and will be graduated in about a year's time.

The textile factory, which was founded last year under the joint auspices of the municipal government and the university, will be enlarged. A comprehensive extension scheme has already been worked out by the factory management and approved by the municipal authorities. A sum of $1,000 has been appropriated by the municipal government for financing the scheme.

INCREASED EQUIPMENT

In general the plan calls for the enlargement of its premises, the increase of equipment and the improvement of technique. The laboratories and exhibition rooms in the factory, according to the project, will be enlarged. A number of new textile machinery will be purchased from abroad.

With regard to the improvement of textile technique, it is understood that durability of the woollen and cotton goods produced and new patterns will be emphasized. Only native raw materials will be used for the manufacture of the textile goods.

To effect co-operation between various textile manufacturers and experts in the city a Nanking Textile Co-operative Society will be organized. Regulations governing the organization of the society have already been promulgated. The capital of the society will be obtained through the subscription of shares, each at $10. Each member of the society is allowed to subscribe at most 10 shares.

To facilitate the sale of cotton and woollen goods, co-operative stores will also be opened at various business centres in the city.—*Central News Agency.*

GERMAN SHARE MARKET

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Oct. 22.

Share market business proved disappointing on Tuesday because of the renewed uncertainty of the foreign political situation. Good industrial reports certainly produced favourable effects on the shares concerned, but did not influence the situation as a whole. Fixed Interest Securities were not in great demand, but price alterations were chiefly in the upward state and Provincial Loans were friendly.

Call Money which on Monday was 1 to 1½, on Tuesday, was quoted at 1. Young Loan improved ⅛ to 102¼. Reich Banks unchanged at 17¾. Dyetrusts dropped ⅛ to 148⅞. Salzdetfurth Potash were unquoted (on Monday 181). German Steel Trusts were ¾ lower at 81¾. German Mineral Oils were down ½ at 105. Siemenshalske dropped 1 to 168½, and Bemberg Rayon were ¾ lower at 107¾.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

POLISH-GERMAN TRADE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Warsaw, Oct 22.

The Polish-German trade negotiations which were suspended some weeks ago were resumed on Tuesday.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices

BENJAMIN & POTTS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore Yesterday for Raw Rubber:—

Spot	21¼ cts.	down ⅛ ct.
Nov./Dec.	21⅜ cts.	down ⅛ ct.
Jan./Mar.	22 cts.	down ⅛ ct.
Apr./June	22⅝ cts.	down ⅛ ct.

Marke.—Dull.

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Messrs H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following Straits Currency Quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber:—

	Buyers	Sellers
Spot	21⅜ down ⅛	21½
Nov./Dec.	21⅝ down ⅛	21⅞
Jan./Mar.	22 down ⅛	22⅛
Apr./June	22⅝ down ⅛	22⅞

Market.—Quiet.

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All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Oct., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 11th Nov., 1935, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

22nd October, 1935. [3900

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

THE Motor ship "HAVEL"

having arrived from BREMEN, HAMBURG and Ports, Consignees of cargo are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, where Delivery can be obtained.

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All Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th October, 1935, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Azhe, at 10 a.m., on the 24th October, 1935

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's surveyors.

No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown and all claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the Ship's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognised.

Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature.

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Hong Kong, 18th October, 1935. [3892

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Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

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R. OHL,
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Hong Kong, 19th October, 1935. [3893

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before 5th Nov., 1935, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged goods must be left in the godowns, where they will be examined by the steamer's surveyor on any Tuesdays or Fridays, between the hours of 10.45 a.m. & Noon, within the Free Storage Period of One Week.

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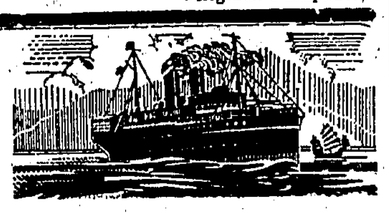

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NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.
Haitan, Douglas', October 25.
Kaying, B. & S., October 26.
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., October 27.
Anhui, B. & S., October 29.
Haining, Douglas', October 29.
Taiyuan, B. & S., October 30.
Fukuoka Maru, O.S.K., October 31.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), October 31.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, October 31.
Haiyang, Douglas', November 1.
Hosang, Jardine's, November 1.
Kingyuan, B. & S., November 2.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., November 3.
Haitan, Douglas', November 5.
Kumsang, Jardine's, November 16.

Chefoo.
Fooshing, Jardine's, October 24.
Yunnan, B. & S., October 30.
Luchow, B. & S., October 25.
Yatshing, Jardine's, October 29.
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.

Dalny.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, Oct. 24.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, October 25.
Nanning, B. & S., October 27.
Donau, Melchers', November 1.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Perseus, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.

Foochow.
Fooshing, Jardine's, October 24.
Haitan, Douglas', October 25.
Shantung, B. & S., October 27.
Haining, Douglas', October 29.
Yatshing, Jardine's, October 29.
Yunnan, B. & S., October 30.
Haiyang, Douglas', November 1.
Haitan, Douglas', November 5.

JAPAN (Direct).
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Hosang, Jardine's, November 1.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Kumsang, Jardine's, November 16.

Keelung.
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., October 27.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., November 3.
Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., November 4.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.

Newchwang
Nanning, B. & S., October 27.

Shanghai and Japan.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, October 25.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, Oct. 24.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Oct. 26.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, Oct. 28
Menestheus, B. & S., October 28.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Bangalore, P. & O., October 31.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), October 31.
Corfu, P. & O., November 1.
Donau, Melchers', November 1.
Emp of Japan, C. P. S., November 1.
Malaya, E.A. Co., November 1.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 2.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 2.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 3.
Agapenor, B. & S., November 4.
Neumark, Jebsen's, November 4.
Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., November 4.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 5.
Tancred, Thoresen's, November 7.
Tergestea, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 7.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.
General Pershing, States Co., Nov. 9.
Malaya, E.A. Co., November 9.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Perseus, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.
President Grant, A.M. Line, Nov. 13.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), November 14.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 15.
Ranchi, P. & O., November 15.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Nov. 16.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.
Talthybius, B. & S., October 24.
Luchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sandviken, Jardine's, October 25.
Kaying, B. & S., October 26.
Shantung, B. & S., October 27.
Suiyang, B. & S., October 27.
Taksang, Jardine's, October 27.
Daviken, Jardine's, October 30.
Taiyuan, B. & S., October 30.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, October 31.
Donau, Melchers', November 1.
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 2.
Kingyuan, B. & S., November 2.
Chaksang, Jardine's, November 3.
Sunning, B. & S., November 3.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.

Swatow.
Fooshing, Jardine's, October 24.
Haitan, Douglas', October 25.
Luchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sandviken, Jardine's, October 25.
Helios, Thoresen's, October 27.
Seistan, Douglas, October 27.
Suiyang, B. & S., October 27.
Taksang, Jardine's, October 27.
Kweiyang, B. & S., October 28.
Anhui, B. & S., October 29.
Haining, Douglas', October 29.
Yatshing, Jardine's, October 29.
Daviken, Jardine's, October 30.
Yunnan, B. & S., October 30.
Haiyang, Douglas', November 1.
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.
Chaksang, Jardine's, November 3.
Sunning, B. & S., November 3.
Kwangchow, B. & S., November 4.
Haitan, Douglas', November 5.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.

Taku.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, October 25.
City of Wellington, Bank Line, Oct. 24.
Donau, Melchers', November 1.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.

Tientsin.
Fooshing, Jardine's, October 23.
Luchow, B. & S., October 25.
Yatshing, Jardine's, October 29.
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.

Tsingtao.
Fooshing, Jardine's, October 24.
Luchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sandviken, Jardine's, October 25.
Taksang, Jardine's, October 27.
Daviken, Jardine's, October 30.
Yunnan, B. & S., October 30.
Donau, Melchers', November 1.
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.
Chaksang, Jardine's, November 3.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Baltimore.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.

Boston and New York.
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2
Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., November 4.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Cristobal.
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Havana
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Honolulu.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Emp of Japan, C. P. S., November 1
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Los Angeles.
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Somerville, Bank Line, October 25.
President Taft, Dollar's, October 23.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., November 4.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Mexico.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.

Panama.
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., November 4.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Philadelphia.
Kwanto Maru, O.S.K., October 25.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Kinai Maru, O.S.K., November 11.
Jeff Davis, States Co., November 15.

Portland and Puget Sound
Somerville, Bank Line, October 25.
General Pershing, States Co., Nov. 9.

San Francisco.
Somerville, Bank Line, October 25.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, November 2.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
General Pershing, States Co., Nov. 9.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Taiyang, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 20.

Seattle.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Oct. 26.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, November 13.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Nov. 23.

South America (W.C.)
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp of Japan, C. P. S., November 1.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 15.

Victoria, B.C.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Oct. 26.
Emp of Japan, C. P. S., November 1.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, November 13.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 15.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Nov. 23.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Bali.
Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, October 29

Bangkok.
Helios, Thoresen's, October 27.
Kweiyang, B. & S., October 28.
Kwangchow, B. & S., November 4.

Batavia.
Tjisalak, J.C.J. Line, November 5.

Belawan
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Brisbane
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Cebu
New York, States Co., October 24.
Silvercypress, Furness., October 27.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, November 4.

Davao
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Silvercypress, Furness., October 27.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Hainhong.
Kiungchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sinkiang, B. & S., October 29.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 1.

Honiara.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.

Hoihow.
Kiungchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sinkiang, B. & S., October 29.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 1
Hoihow, B. & S. November 1.
Chaksang, Jardine's, November 3.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.

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Bremerhaven, Melchers', October 24.

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Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, October 24.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., October 25.
New York, States Co., October 25.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Silvercypress, Furness., October 27
Eumaeus, B. & S., October 28.
Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, October 29.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, November 1.
Gen. Pershing, States Co., Nov. 2.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, November 6.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 7.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, November 12.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Nov. 16.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 22
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
General Sherman, States Co., Nov. 23.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Melbourne.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Menado
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Pakhoi.
Kiungchow, B. & S., October 25.
Sinkiang, B. & S., October 29.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 1.

Rahaul.
Bremerhaven, Melchers', October 24.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.

Saigon.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.

Sandakan
Hinsang, Jardine's, November 13.

Soerabaia.
Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, October 29.

South Sea Islands.
Bremerhaven, Melchers', October 24.

Sydney.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 2.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Thursday Island.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Tulagi
Bremerhaven, Melchers', October 24.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Alexandria.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.

Algiers.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

Amsterdam.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

Antwerp.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Benwyvis, Loxley's, November 9.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Barcelona.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Beyrouth.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

Bombay.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Mayebashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 28.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., November 6.
Jeypore, P. & O., November 8.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 11.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Silvercypress, Furness., October 27.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.

Bremen.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Bromborough.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.

Brindisi
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.

Calcutta.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 27.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., October 29.
Argun Maru, O.S.K., November 1.
Kutsang, Jardine's, November 7.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), November 8.
Tsushima Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.

Casablanca.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Colombo.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Mayebashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 28.
Himalaya Maru, O.S.K., October 30.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Hawaii Maru, O.S.K., November 5.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., November 6.
Jeypore, P. & O., November 8.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 11.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Djiboute.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.

Genoa.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

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To	Steamship	Date
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SANDVIKEN"	Fri., 25th Oct., at 3 p.m.
	"TAKSANG"	Sun., 27th Oct., at 2 p.m.
	"DAVIKEN"	Wed., 30th Oct., at 2 p.m.
	"CHAKSANG"	Sun., 3rd Nov., at 10 a.m.
AMOY via KOBE & OSAKA	"HOSANG"	Fri., 1st Nov., at 7 a.m.
	"KUMSANG"	Satur., 16th Nov., at 7 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG"	Thurs., 7th Nov., at 5 p.m.
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG"	Wed., 13th Nov., at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW FOOCHOW & CHEFOO	"FOOSHING"	Thurs., 24th Oct., at 2 p.m.
	"YATSHING"	Tues., 29th Oct. at 2 p.m.

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Gibraltar.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Glasgow.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.

Gothenburg.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

Halifax.
Silvercypress, Furness., October 27.

Hamburg.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Benwyvis, Loxley's, November 9.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Havre.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.

Hull.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.

Istanbul.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

Jeddah.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.

Leith
Benwyvis, Loxley's, November 9.

Liverpool.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

London
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Benwyvis, Loxley's, November 9.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Malta.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.

Marseilles.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23

Naples.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.

Oran.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

Oslo.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

Palm, D.M.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Penang.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, October 24.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Santhia, B.I (Apcar), October 27.
Mayebashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 28
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, October 29.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., October 29
Himalaya Maru, O.S.K., October 30.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., November 6.
Kutsang, Jardine's, November 7.
Jeypore, P. & O., November 8.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), November 8.
Tsushima Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.
Ginyu Maru, N.Y.K., November 11.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Piraeus.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

Plymouth.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.

Port Said.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Rangoon.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, October 24.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 27.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, October 29.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., October 29.
Argun Maru, O.S.K., November 1.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), November 8.
Tsushima Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.

Rotterdam.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Benwyvis, Loxley's, November 9.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Singapore.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, October 24.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 27.
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Bessa, B. & S., October 28.
Mayebashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 28
Anhui, B. & S., October 29.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, October 29.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., October 29.
Achilles, B. & S., October 30.
Eumaeus, B. & S., November 1.
Cathay, P. & O., November 2.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Ajax, B. & S., November 6.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., November 6.
Kutsang, Jardine's, November 7.
Jeypore, P. & O., November 8.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), November 8.
Tsushima Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9.
Somali, P. & O., November 9.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 11.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., November 16.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.

Southampton
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 22.

Suez.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 26.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., October 26.
Sphinx, Messageries', November 5.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., November 9.
President Polk, Dollar's, November 9
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 19.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., November 23.

Trieste.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.

Tripoli.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.

United Kingdom and Continental
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.

Valencia.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., November 10

Venice.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 10.

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HEIAN MARU ..(Starts from Kobe) Monday, 25th Nov.

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SUWA MARU Saturday, 26th Oct
FUSHIMI MARU ... ... Saturday, 9th Nov.
HAKOZAKI MARU Saturday 23rd Nov.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE vi Manila and Ports.
KAMO MARU ... ... Saturday, 26th Oct.
KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 23rd Nov.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.
† MAYEBASHI MARU ... ... Monday, 28th Oct.
† TOTTORI MARU .. Wednesday, 6th Nov.
GINYO MARU ... Tuesday, 11th Nov.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.
BOKUYO MARU ... Saturday, 9th Nov.

NEW YORK via Panama.
† NOJIMA MARU ... ... Monday, 4th Nov.
† NOTO MARU ... ... Friday, 15th Nov.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus. Genoa and Valencia.
† TOYOOKA MARU ... ... Sunday, 10th Nov.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.
† TOKUSHIMA MARU ... Tuesday, 29th Oct.
† TSUSHIMA MARU ... ... Friday, 8th Nov.
† PENANG MARU ... .. Friday, 15th Nov.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
ANYO MARU ... ... Monday, 28th Oct.
HAKUSAN MARU ... ... Friday, 8th Nov.
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JEAN LABORDE...10th Jan., 1936.

To MARSEILLES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti (Aden), Suez, Port-Said.

SPHINX ... .. 5th Nov.
CHENONCEAUX . 19th Nov.
D'ARTAGNAN 3rd Dec.
ATHOS II ... 17th Dec.
PRES. DOUMER 31st Dec.
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YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 7,800 TONS:
THROUGH CARGO 34,400 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
British		
Haitan, Swatow	120	—
Tak Sang, Swatow	461	687
Antenor, Shanghai	64	7,295
Tsinan, Canton	—	480
Protesilaus, Singapore	510	5,403
Klungchow, Swatow	120	900
Sui Sang, Moji	750	1,234
City of Wellington, Singapore	586	210
Selston, Swatow	—	—
	2,611	16,209
French		
Marechal Joffre, Shanghai	119	1,162
	119	1,162
Dutch		
Van Heutsz, Singapore	798	—
	798	—
German		
Trier, Shanghai	—	1,917
		1,917
Norwegian		
Sandviken, Canton	—	—
Danish		
Clara Jebsen, Holhow	2,780	—
	2,780	—
Portuguese		
Wing Wo, K. C. Wan	170	—
	170	—
Japanese		
Sungshan Maru, Canton	—	229
Havana Maru, Singapore	603	6,291
Monte Video Maru, Kobe	300	4,051
Terukuni Maru, Singapore	117	4,148
Kakuwa Maru, Kobe	34	—
	1,054	14,719
Chinese		
Hai Yuan, Swatow	352	327
Yung Ping, Canton	—	104
	352	431
Total	7,884	34,438

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Haitan (Br.), Swatow	108
Tak Sang (Br.), Swatow	221
Tsinan (Br.), Canton	27
Protesilaus (Br.), Singapore	446
Klungchow (Br.), Swatow	95
Selstan (Br.), Swatow	77
Marechal Joffre (Fr.), Shanghai	42
Von Heutsz (Dut.), Singapore	718
Clara Jebsen (Dan.), Holhow	17
Hai Yuan (Ch.), Swatow	161
Yung Ping (Ch.), Canton	18
Total	1,930

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—Sui Sang, Marechal Joffre, Van Heutsz and Bremerhaven.
Jardine Matheson's:—Tak Sang.
Douglas Lapraik:—Haitan and Selstan.
Salkong:—Wing Wo.

DOCKS

Kowloon:—Hai Lee, Corneville and Silver Cypress.
Taikoo:—H.M.S. Orpheus, Kwei Yang, Tinhow and Sandviken.

BUOYS

No. A3.—Antenor.
No. B3.—Kaying.
No. B4.—Clara Jebsen.
No. B6.—G.G. Paul Doumer
No. B7.—Tin Seng.
No. B10.—Hai Lee.
No. B11.—Ngow Hock
No. B17.—Yung Ping.
No. B18.—Kalgan.
No. B20.—Klungchow.
No. B21.—Tsinan.
No. B22.—Mau Sang.
No. C1.—Helios.
No. C2.—Chung King.

ARRIVALS

23RD OCTOBER

Sui Yang, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain D. Williams, from Amoy, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

Prosper, Norwegian steamer, 1,377 tons, Captain E. D. Knutsen, from Saigon, buoy No. B6.—Nam Tai Loong.

Helikon, British steamer, 1,220 tons, Captain W. Anderson, from Saigon, buoy No. B5.—Wo Fat Sing.

New York, American steamer, 3,468 tons, Captain W. R. Brust, from Kobe, buoy No. A11.—States S.S. & Co.

Hupeh, British steamer, 1,628 tons, Captain J. G. Smart, from Canton, Taikoo Dock.—B. & S.

Apondilus, British steamer, 4,277 tons, Captain G. A. Dawson, from Tarakan, North Point.—A. P. C.

Yung Ping, Chinese steamer, 985 tons, Captain J. Paulsen, from Canton, buoy No. B17.—Fook Wah & Co.

Tsinan, British steamer, 2,100 tons, Captain S. M. Barling, from Canton, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Tak Sang, British steamer, 1,995 tons, Captain J. W. Pettigrew, from Tsingtao via Shanghai and Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Hai Tan, British steamer, 2,225 tons, Captain O. H. Farrar, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

22ND OCTOBER.

Clara Jebsen, Danish steamer, 1,145 tons, Captain R. Nielsen, from Bangkok via Holhow, buoy No. B4.—Chiu Seng Hong.

VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B. & S., October 29.
Aeneas, B. & S., November 12.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 25.
Agapenor, B. & S., November 4.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, November 11.
Apyo Maru, N.Y.K., October 28.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., October 25.
Athos II, Messageries', November 30.
Bangalore, P. & O., October 29.
Benreoch, Gibb's, October 28
Bessa, Thoresen's, October 28.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, October 25.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 2.
City of Windsor, Bank Line, Nov. 9.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 2.
Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 30.
Corfu, P. & O., October 31.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Nov. 16.
Donau, Melchers', October 31.
Emp of Asia, C. P. S., November 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., November 22
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., October 25.
Eumaeus, B. & S., October 31.
Franken, Melchers', November 13.
General Pershing, States Co., Nov. 1.
General Sherman, States Co., Nov. 22.
Haining, Douglas', October 28.
Haitan, Douglas', October 24.
Haiyang, Douglas', October 31.
Havel, Melchers', November 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, October 29.
Irisbank, Bank Line, October 25.
Java, E.A. Co., November 9.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 25.
Lossiebank, Bank Line, November 24.
Malaya, E.A. Co., November 1.
Maron, B. & S., November 12.
Mayebashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 27.
Menestheus, B. & S., October 26.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, November 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ld., Oct 31.
Neumark, Jebsen's, November 3.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, November 9.
Perseus, B. & S., November 12.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, October 25.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, November 1.
President Hoover, Dollar's, October 24
Pres. McKinley, A. M. Line, October 25.
Prometheus, B. & S., November 18.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 24.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, November 8.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', November 5.
Seistan, Douglas, October 26.
Shantung, Gilman's, November 3.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), October 29.
Somerville, Bank Line, October 25.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	9	10
American	0	1
French	1	1
Dutch	1	0
German	1	1
Norwegian	1	0
Danish	1	0
Portuguese	1	0
Japanese	5	4
Chinese	2	3
Total	22	20

CLEARANCES

23RD OCTOBER

Klungchow, for Canton
Chung King, for Swatow
Seistan, for Swatow
Havana Maru, for Dairen
Sheng An, for Canton
Van Heutsz, for Swatow
Tsinan, for Amoy
Ngow Hock, for Bangkok
Antenor, for Singapore
New York, for Manila
President Taft, for Shanghai
Sui Sang, for Singapore
Mau Sang, for Sandakan
Sui Yang, for Canton

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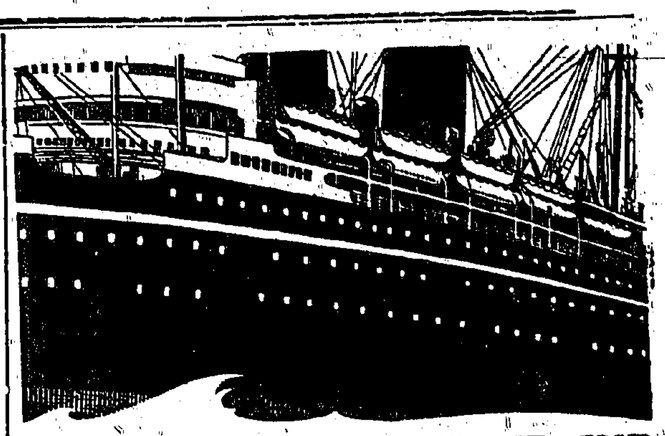

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‡CATHAY	15,000	2nd Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*JEYPORE	5,000	8th Nov.	Straits, Colombo and Bombay.
†*SOMALI	7,000	9th Nov.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	16th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
‡CORFU	14,500	30th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
†*BANGALORE	6,000	7th Dec.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
‡RANCHI	17,000	14th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
‡NALDERA	16,000	28th Dec.	do
*BHUTAN	6,000	4th Jan.	Mars., Havre, London, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
CARTHAGE	14,500	11th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
†*BEHAR	6,000	18th Jan.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, R'dam., Antwerp & Hull.
‡RAJPUTANA	17,000	25th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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TANDA	7,000	30th Nov.	
NANKIN	7,000	31st Dec.	

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*BANGALORE	6,000	31st Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000	31st Oct.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
CORFU	14,500	1st Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TANDA	7,000	3rd Nov.	Shanghai & Japan
TAKADA	7,000	14th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
RANCHI	17,000	15th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama

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From October 24 to 30, 1935.

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Thur.	24	07 20	6 1	01 17	4 0
		20 6	6 4	13 2	2 8
Fri.	25	08 08	6 0	01 8	3 5
		21 19	6 6	13 52	2 9
Sat.	26	03 5)	6 0	02 36	3 0
		20 34	7 1	14 21	3 0
Sun.	27	09 31	5 8	03 15	2 5
		20 52	7 5	14 43	3 2
Mon.	28	10 11	5 6	03 52	2 1
		21 15	7 8	15 13	3 5
Tues.	29	10 55	5 4	04 33	1 8
		21 44	8 1	15 46	3 8
Wed.	30	11 40	5 0	05 14	1 6
		22 15	8 3	15 56	4 0

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, Oct., 23.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer...	29 92	29 94	29 85
Temperature	77	77	78
Humidity.	77	80	78
Wind—			
Direction	E	ENE	E
Force		5	4
Weather	C	C	B
Rain	0 0	0 00	0. 0

Highest open-air Temperature, 82:80
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Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-up $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £8,500,000
Silver $10,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

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Haiphong	Muar (Johore)	Tokyo
Hamburg	Mukden	Tsingtao
Hankow	New York	Yokohama
Harbin		
Hongkew		

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in LOCAL CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods in LOCAL CURRENCY and STERLING on terms which will be quoted on application.

Hong Kong 2nd October, 1935

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

For the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

V. M. GRAYBURN, *Chief Manager.*

Hong Kong, 25th February, 1935.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED

HEAD OFFICE: LONDON.

Authorized Capital £3,000,000
Subscribed Capital £1,800,000
Paid-up Capital £1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest ...£1,247,830

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Howrah		
Ipoh		

HONG KONG BRANCH:

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

Travellers Cheques issued.

Trustee and Executorships undertaken.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

R. KENNEDY, *Manager.*

Queen's Road Central.
Hong Kong, 24th July, 1935.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK LIMITED

Capital (fully paid up) Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund ... Yen 127,450,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:—YOKOHAMA

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Alexandria	Honolulu	Rangoon
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Berlin	Karachi	San Francisco
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Hankow	Nagoya	Tientsin
Harbin	New York	Tokyo
Hong Kong	Osaka	Tsingtao
Howrah	Paris	Yinkow
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.

Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

G. KISHINAMI, Manager.

Hong Kong, 12th September, 1935.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1852.

HEAD OFFICE: LONDON.

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Reserve Fund £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for One Year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. BREARLEY, *Manager.*

Hong Kong January 1st, 1935.

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	Frs.
Capital, fully paid-up	50,000,000
Special Working Capital	50,000,000
Reserves	33,514.00

BRANCHES:—

Paris	Haiphong	Marseilles
Saigon	Pnom Penh	Hanoi
Peiping	Shanghai	Tientsin
Lyon	Hong Kong	

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Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Correspondents throughout the World.

H. JUSSERAND, *Manager.*

Hong Kong, 30th January 1935.

THE BANK OF CHINA

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Canton	Nagasaki		Tientsin
Haiphong	New York	Seattle	Tokyo
Hankow	Osaka	Semarang	Vancouver
Honolulu	Paris	Shanghai	Yokohama
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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Loans granted on approved securities.

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

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Somali	5 p.m., 8th November	15th December
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INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 4th October—and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London, 3rd October)	*Pres. Hoover*	ship due at 1 p.m. 24th Oct.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Shantung*	24th Oct.
AMOY	*Santhia*	24th Oct.
MANILA	*Pres. McKinley*	25th Oct.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 27th September)	*Pres. Garfield*	25th Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and CHINA (Vancouver B.C., 5th Oct.)	*Emp. of Japan*	ship due at 6 a.m. 25th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Suwa Maru*	25th Oct.
JAPAN	*Kamo Maru*	25th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Asama Maru*	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Siaksang*	26th Oct.
JAVA and MANILA	*Tjikembang*	26th Oct.
STRAITS and EUROPE via NEUA ATAM (Letters and Papers) London, 26th Sept.	*Genoa Maru*	27th Oct.
JAPAN	*Mogebashi Maru*	27th Oct.
STRAITS and LONDON Parcels London, 19th September	*Menestheus*	28th Oct.
STRAITS	*Anyo Maru*	28th Oct.
JAPAN	*Tokushima Maru*	28th Oct.
STRAITS and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service (London, 12th Oct.)—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bandoeng Service—Amsterdam, 16th October	*Anhui*	29th Oct.
SHANGHAI	*Achilles*	29th Oct.
STRAITS	*Bangalore*	29th Oct.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	*Sirahana*	29th Oct.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	*Hosang*	29th Oct.
SAIGON	*Barelas*	29th Oct.
JAVA	*Tjinegara*	30th Oct.
STRAITS and EUROPE via SUEZ (Letters and Papers) London, 3rd October and London Parcels—London, 26th Sept.	*Corfu*	31st Oct.
JAPAN	*Nellore*	31st Oct.
SHANGHAI	*Eumaeus*	31st Oct.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 12th October)	*Pres. Grant*	1st Nov.
HAIPHONG	*G.G. Paul Doumer*	1st Nov.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*General Pershing*	1st Nov.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	*Tanda*	2nd Nov.
SAIGON	*Chenonceaux*	2nd Nov.
STRAITS	*Conte Rosso*	2nd Nov.

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For	Per	Date and Time
		Thursday, 24th,
Straits and Sandakan	*Hai Lee*	8.30 A M
Foochow via Swatow	*Fooching*	12.30 P M
Samshui and Wu how	*Hydrangea*	3 00 P M
*Manila, Rabaul and Tulagi	*Tai Hing*	4.00 P M
Manila	*Bremerhaven*	4.30 P M
	Pres. Hoover	5.00 P M
		Friday, 25th.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Kiangchow*	1.00 P M
Formosa	*Kwanto Maru*	2.30 P M
Saigon, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar and South Africa	*Tin How*	2.30 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Tan*	3.00 P M
Manila	*Emp. of Japan*	3.30 P M
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 19th November—and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. McKinley*	Parcels 3.00 P M Reg. 4.15 P M Letters 5.00 P M
Manila	*Pres. Garfield*	5.00 P M
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles due Marseilles, 24th November	*Suwa Maru*	Kowloon P.O. Reg. 4.30 P M Letters 4.30 P M G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 P M Letters 6.00 P M
		Saturday, 26th,
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 7th November	*Kamo Maru*	Reg. 8.45 A M Letters 9.30 A M
Amoy	*Kaying*	3.30 P M
Letters "for Imperial-Airways Service" — due London, 11th November	Santhia	K.P.O. Reg. 3.00 P M Let. 3.30 P M G.P.O. Reg. 3.30 P M Let. 4.00 P M
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"—due Amsterdam, 7th Nov.	Santhia	K.P.O. Reg. 3.00 P M Let. 3.30 P M G.P.O. Reg. 3.30 P M Let. 4.00 P M
Letters for "Singapore—Australia Air Mail Service"—due Darwin, 5th November	Santhia	K.P.O. Reg. 3.00 P M Let. 3.30 P M G.P.O. Reg. 3.30 P M Let. 4.00 P M
STRAITS, SANDAKAN and CALCUTTA	*Santhia*	Parcels 4.00 P M Letters 5.00 P M
Dairen	*Nanning*	5.00 P M
Foochow	*Shantung*	5.00 P M
		Sunday, 27th,
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Hoscan Maru*	9.00 A M
		Monday, 28th,
Swatow and Bangkok	*Kweiyang*	10.30 A M

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